

Early Sebastopol

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Part I

A resort in the country

[1855-1875]

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LOSS OF ANIMALS ON THE PLAINS.—Mr. bel Gilbert, whose arrival from Salt was announced in the *Placerville American* a few days ago, lost the other le of the valley, about fifty animals, incipally from alkaline or poisonous wa- r. The cattle were left for the winter the vicinity of Bear river, to come rough next spring. Mr. Gilbert intends turning to the States for the purpose of eparing for another trip across the plains xt season.

ERRORS RECORDED.—A difficulty occurred at Big Flat, Tuolumne County, on Satur- y last, says the *Union Democrat*, between arles Hoffman and William Voll, in re- rd to some business matters, which en- d in the former shooting the latter, the ll entering his right side. Mr. Hoffman is taken before a magistrate and held to il, to answer at the next term of the Court Sessions, in the sum of five hundred llars.

SISTERS OF MERCY.—The Los Angeles ar says that an effort is being made by ne of the most respectable citizens, for e purpose of having a branch of the ilanthropic order of the "Sisters of Mer- " established in Los Angeles, and says at there is a fine opening and an enlarg- field of labor for them. The benevo- it ladies of this society, by their self-sac- eeing devotion to the wants of mankind, ve won the esteem and respect of all io have ever seen them or witnessed eir labors. Like the rain and the sun- ine, their benevolence scatters itself "on e just and the unjust," on Catholic, Pro- stant, Jew or Gentile—wherever there is ffering and misery, they may be found ing their errands of mercy.

The petty offenders in Sacramento, are w engaged in excavating a ditch for the pe of the Water Works.

• Snow fell quite freely last Mon- y at Forest City, and on Tuesday, the ound was white above Nevada.

The household furniture of the late ptain Folsom, brought \$5,000—\$1,000

Alta Billaia Saloon,
Main street, Petaluma.
O'NIEL & NICHOLS, Proprietors.

Dissolution.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Co-part- nership heretofore existing under the style and name of Stull & Co., in the Milling business, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

HENRY STULL.
P. H. NEWBILL.

Petaluma, Nov. 9th, 1855.

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Most difficult sur-
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Travel, \$1 per mil

Petaluma, Oct.

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PETALUMA & BODEGA ROUTE.

RAMER & KNOWLS' Tri-Weekly Line of Stages between Petaluma and Bodega, leave Petaluma for Pine Grove and Bodega, every Wed- nesday, Friday and Sunday. Returning, leave Bodega for Petaluma, every Monday, Thursday and Saturday, connecting with the Steamers for San Francisco.

Grateful to the public for past patronage, we are determined to so conduct our business in fu- ture as to merit and receive its continuance.

HARMAN RAMER, } Proprietors.
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Petaluma, Nov. 5th, 1855.

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Hogs for Sale.

A lot of STOCK and BREEDING HOGS for sale cheap. Apply to

JOHN O'FARRELL.

Bodega, November 10th, 1855.



Notice.

PURSUANT to an Act passed by the Legis- lature of the State of California, approved April 14th, 1852, entitled "An Act to authorize married women to transact business in their own name as sole traders," I, Mary M. Case, wife of James M. Case, of the town of Santa Rosa, in the County of Sonoma, State of California, do hereby declare that I intend to carry on the business of keeping a Hotel in all its different branches, in my own name and on my own account, and that the amount invested in said business is less than five thousand dollars. (\$5,000.)

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal, this 1st day of November, A. D. 1855.
MARY M. CASE.

State of California, } On this, the 1st day of
County of Sonoma, } November, A. D. 1855,
before me, N. McC. Menefee, County Clerk in and for said County, personally appeared Mary M. Case, to me personally known to be the indi- vidual described in and who executed the forego- ing instrument, and she acknowledged that she executed the same freely and voluntarily, for the uses and purposes therein mentioned.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal, the day and year above written.
N. McC. MENEFFEE,
Clerk of Sonoma County.

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inclination render this pastime agree-

aris stocked with the choicest Wines,
and Segars, and Fred pledges himself to
is attentions to all who may call on him.
FRED. JOHNSON.

May 24, 1856 40

Wholesale and Retail.

undersigned would call the attention of
ir friends and customers to the fact of
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Tip for Cash or Produce.

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M. ROSENBERG,
B. MARKS,
H. ABRAHAM.

May 12, 1857. 24.66

Teamsters!

undersigned is now manufacturing, from
very best material, a style of

ABLE HARNESS.

or convenience and strength, has been
sed by old wagoners to be unsurpassed.
In want of "tip top gear," are invited to
examine for themselves, at the old es-
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Iron street.

Collars, of every Size;

AND THE BEST QUALITY,
ted to fit and to wear, constantly on hand.

hack-snake Whips and Pike County Re-
made to order.

WM. VAN HOUTEN.

Saddle & Harness

SHOP.

Three Doors above the American Hotel.

ANDERSON HAS THE PLEASURE

CHARLEY, having opened the
Pioneer Stables, on Main Street.

Next Door to the Pioneer Hotel.

With new and fine Stock, would say to his old
customers and the public generally, that he

WILL TRY

to please all those that favor him with a call.

N. B. Horses Bought, Sold, Swapped, Nick-
ed, Docked, Bled, and prescribed for.

36-3m C. I. ROBINSON, Proprietor.

Accommodation Line!!

From Petaluma to Bodega!

ON and after May 1st '57,
the above Line will run as
follows: Leaving Petaluma
every Wednesday, Friday, and Sunday, at 8
o'clock A. M., via Oak Grove Hotel, Miller &
Walker's, Sebastopol, Hudspeth's and O'Farrell's,
to Bodega.

Returning, leaves Bodega on Mondays in time
to connect with the San Francisco Boats, and
Thursdays and Saturdays, at 8 o'clock A. M.

OF Fare at the lowest rates.

WM. TIBBETTS & CO.

N. B. The Proprietors of this Line being de-
termined to accommodate the public, will guaran-
tee to attend to all business entrusted to their
care, in a satisfactory manner.

BILL TIBBETTS, Driver.
Petaluma, May 15, 1857. 39-3m

Pacific Livery Stable

STOCK YARDS.

Main street,

One door above American Hotel
PETALUMA.

CARRIAGES, Buggies, and good Saddle Hors-
es, kept constantly on hand for hire or sale,
on moderate terms.

Stock corralled and fed, at the lowest rates.

Particular attention paid to Horses on

Livery.

25-3m JACKSON & CO.

Francis' Livery Stables.

THE SUBSCRIBER
having taken the Sta-
bles in rear of Wells,

Fargo & Co's Express office, is now ready to give
particular attention to Horses on Livery.

Good harness or saddle horses can be had at
short notice, and as cheap as at any other stable
in town.

Entrance, in front Washington Hotel, and above
American Hotel, Main street.

The Stock Yards are the best in town.

for Soda Water and
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PROPRIETORS OF PHENIX IRON WORKS,
 San Francisco, desire to call your particular
 attention to the fact that they are extensively
 and successfully engaged in manufacturing
Re-Proof Doors and Shutters,
Bank Vaults, Prison Cells, etc.,
GREATLY REDUCED PRICES.

Our practical knowledge of the business has
 rendered complete, by ten years experience
 San Francisco.
 The best reference is our Work, which can be
 seen in nearly every city in this State and Ore-
 gon. Particular attention paid to orders from
 country.
 A large assortment of second hand Doors and
 shutters constantly on hand, and for sale at very
 low rates.
12 Battery St., near Pacific St., San Francisco.



GEORGE L. STORY & CO.,
 Importers and Wholesale Dealers in
PAINTS, OILS, WINDOW GLASS,
VARNISHES,
Brushes, Colors, Glues, etc.
 No. 105, Clay street,
 SAN FRANCISCO.

Lime--Lime--Lime!
 THE undersigned having been appointed
 Agents for the Petaluma Lime Kilns, are
 prepared to furnish Lime to builders and
 others, at very low rates.
 Also, on hand and for sale, at San Francisco
 cost, freight added, the best brands of Santa
 Cruz Lime.
T. F. BAYLIS & CO.,
 Corner Main and English streets,
 Petaluma, Oct. 15, 1868.



runs tri-weekly from Cloverdale, leaving Clover-
 dale
Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays,
 at 8 o'clock in the morning.
 Returning alternate days—leaving Calpella
Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays,
 at 8 o'clock in the morning.
 This is the only direct route to Potter, Little
 Lake, Sherwood, Eden, Round and Long Val-
 leys.
SWIFT & SINK,
 Proprietors.

SWIFT & CO'S EXPRESS—the
 only Express running in Mendocino county—is
 regularly dispatched by McLaughlin's stages, to
 Santa Rosa, Windsor, Healdsburg, Geyserville
 and Cloverdale, **DAILY**; and **TRI-WEEKLY**
 to Ukiah, Ukiah City and Calpella; and **WEEK-
 LY** to the Albion and Big River.

Summer Arrangements.

U. S. M. LINE
FROM PETALUMA
TO TOMALES AND BODEGA,
 Leaving Petaluma, daily, at 7 o'clock A. M.
 for Stony Point, Sebastopol, Tomales, Bloomfield,
 Bernhard's, and Bodega.

RATES OF FARE:

Stony Point,	\$1.00	Bernhard's	\$2.50
Bloomfield,	1	Tomales,	2.50
Sebastopol,	2.00	Bodega,	3.00

WM. TIBBETTS & CO., Proprietors.

U. S. M. LINE
OF CONCORD COACHES,
FROM
Petaluma to Calpella.

THIS line leaves Petaluma daily, at 7 o'clock
A. M., via Santa Rosa, Windsor, Healds-
burg, Geyserville, Cloverdale, Feliz Valley, Ukiah
City, to Calpella.
FARE:
 Petaluma to Santa Rosa, \$1.50
 " to Windsor, 2.50
 " to Healdsburg, 3.00
 " to Geyserville, 4.00
 " to Cloverdale, 5.00
 " to Feliz Valley, 8.00
 " to Ukiah City, 9.00
 " to Calpella, 10.00
 33-11 C. McLAUGHLIN, Proprietor.

SADDLERY!
MAIN & PINKHAM,
 Washington St.,
 Near Main St., Petaluma,
 OFFER for sale a general assortment of Sad-
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The Sonoma County Journal

H. L. WESTON, EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR.

PETALUMA, FRIDAY, APRIL 6, 1880.

ELECTION OF CITY TRUSTEES.—On Monday, the 16th inst., it becomes the privilege and duty of the voters of this city to elect the officers into whose keeping is to be confided the welfare of our young city for the next twelve months. In the selection of these officers, or more properly speaking of the Board of Trustees, we have one suggestion to make—a suggestion on the adoption or rejection of which we believe, in a great measure, depends the present and future welfare and prosperity of Petaluma. It is this: let none other than such persons as will pledge themselves to use their best efforts to have the navigation of Petaluma Creek improved, receive your votes. Let this be the test, for with the Board of Trustees to be elected on that day, depends the fate of the charter for improving the navigation of Petaluma Creek.

One year has passed since the Legislature of this State granted us a charter for the improving of the creek, and conceding to the corporation each and every point asked, and yet the city authorities have failed to avail themselves of its advantages. The provisions of the bill are of a most liberal character, so much so, indeed, that it is a well-known fact that like privileges could not have been obtained by any private body of citizens. By its provisions it became the duty of the city to commence the work within one year from the passage of the act, and to have the work completed within two years. Enough money has probably been expended on the creek to prevent a forfeiture. To secure to our city the full benefit of the improvements, a provision was inserted that the Board of Trustees "shall have power to sell, transfer and convey, all or any part of the right, privileges, franchises and immunities," to such parties as may agree to make the required improvements "on the most favorable terms, and giving a good and satisfactory bond for the faithful performance of the contract." For improving the creek the citizens wanted the right to sell

A BLACK LIST.—The *Alta* of last Saturday has the names of the Senators who voted for the nefarious bulkhead scheme, inclosed in a black border. We are gratified to see that our representative in that body, the Hon Jasper O'Farrell, stands all O. K. The name of those who voted for the bill, are:

Anderson, Ballou, Denner, Eagon, Franklin, Leet, Quinn, Vance, Wheeler, Bradley, Chas. Dickinson, Edgerton, Lansing, Logan, Titus and Watson.

And of those who voted against it, Dent Haynes, Kirkpatrick, McDonald, Merritt O'Farrell, Phelps, Parker, Parks, Peachy Redman, Ryan and Sharp.

DEAF, DUMB AND BLIND.—Some benevolent ladies in San Francisco have organized to open a school for the benefit of the deaf, dumb and blind, and have applied to the State for aid to build a house. On Saturday, says the *Union* the Senate passed a bill appropriating \$10,000 for that purpose. If the State has money to spare, it cannot be appropriated to a more worthy object. At some future day she will be compelled to erect and support one or more institutions for the care of the deaf, dumb and blind within her limits.

BALL AT SEBASTOPOL.—The ball at Sebastopol, given by Joaquin Carrillo, last Monday we are told proved a very pleasant affair to the party assembled, but not so profitable to the proprietor as he had hoped for. This was in consequence of the inclemency of the weather. We hope he will meet better success with his May ball.

RAIN.—Immense quantities of rain have fallen in this region during the past few days—probably more than during the same period any one season since the spring of 1855. The ground is completely saturated. Unless we mistake, the event has proved heavy on the gophers. The rain has been very general throughout the State.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH AT NAPA.—The vestry connected with the Episcopal Church at Napa have agreed upon the plan and style of a church. The *Reporter* says it is to be a wooden structure, of Gothic architecture, simple and unostentatious, yet withal in very

Sonoma County Journal
April 6, 1880

on or preceding the 1st of the
fall, in the city of Sonoma.
every second Saturday in each
L. COPELAND, Secretary.

MARRIED.

on March 31st, 1860, by J. L.
HUB W. THING, of Halls-
Miss SARAH J. BACON, of New

WILLSON,
DEALER IN
PROVISIONS,
SHOES,
CLOTHING, Etc., Etc.,

Man any Cash Man
Fire-Proof Brick, Main street,
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h Mares, Top Buggy and Har-
by T. K. WILLSON.

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T. K. WILLSON.

HINGLES, for sale by
T. K. WILLSON.

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er, Cylinder and Dash Churns,
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J. SIMS,
Between Front and Davis,
FRANCISCO.



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made of wood, and is a favorite
Ohio. A descriptive catalogue of this justly
favorite machine, will be sent to any address
when requested.

With the above branch of our business, we
shall keep a general assortment of

GROCERIES,
All of which we offer on accommodating terms,
and low enough to please everybody that can be
pleased.
STONE building opposite Washington Hotel.
35-1f Washington St., Petaluma.

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Great Republic, Good Hope,
Ocean Telegraph, Raynard,
H. Hastings and Reporter,

50 BALES assorted duck, 6-0@10; 15 bales
light and heavy bear duck; 10 bales flannels,
assorted; 12 cases Canton flannels; brown
and bleached; 10 cases Kentucky Jeans; 15 cases
cottonades; 12 cases 2x2, 4x4, and 4x2 apron
checks; 20 cases bleached and brown sheetings;
60 cases bleached shirtings all widths; 75 cases
favorite brands prints; 20 cases denims; 50 cases
tickings; 20 bales blue, red, and gray blankets.
Also a full assortment of

HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS.
Comprising linen table damasks, bleached and
brown; super cloth table covers; pillow case lin-
ens; linen sheetings; quilts, 10-4, 11-4, 12-4, as-
sorted qualities; towellings; napkins; diaper; dol-
lies; white family blankets; embossed velvet table
and piano covers; bleached sheetings, extra fine.

ALSO—VIA ISTHMUS:
A full line hosiery, gloves, delains, organdies,
lawns, robes, jaconettes, French muslins, cam-
brics, Irish linens, etc. And a large assortment of
Fancy and Staple Dry Goods,

Suitable to the Spring Trade. Also, Ex Oracle,
Eliza, Denmark, &c. Velvet, medalion carpets,
Brussels and three ply carpets, ingrains, hemps,
English and American druggets, table oil cloths,
green baizes, window shades and hollands, broc-
ade and damasks, paper hangings and borders.
Agency of Jewett's celebrated oil cloths 8-4
@2-4.

Invoices very low priced floor oil cloths, now
landing, and for sale, at the lowest rates, by
FRANK BAKER,
110 and 112 Clay street,
335 and 137 Merchant street,
San Francisco.
35-3m

MAY BALL.
A Grand Ball will be given by
JOAQUIN CARRILLO,
AT SEBASTOPOL.

On Tuesday Eve., May 1st, 1860,
To which the public are respectfully invited.
Tickets to Ball and Supper - - \$4 00
COMMITTEE OF INVITATION.

J. H. P. MORRIS, **G. W. DALE.**
FLOOR MANAGER - - - D. A. V. OOK.
Mr. Jordan, of Petaluma has been engaged to
set up the supper.
Master Smith's Quadrille Band.

money. SMITH & MITCHELL,
33-6w Post Office Box 452, San Francisco.

New Enterprise.
Stage Line from Petaluma to Tomales Bay.



ON and after the 8th of
April, an Express Stage will
be run regularly three times
each week from Petaluma to Preston's Point,
Tomales Harbor, via Two Rocks, Key's Embar-
cadero, O'Grady's Hotel, and Brady & Wilson's,
on to Tomales Bay, connecting at Preston's with
a Saff Boat, which will carry passengers, freight,
or pleasure parties to any point on Tomales Bay.
Returning, will leave Winslow, Garceas and the
Paper Mill Landing, on alternate days.

Arrangements will also be made for carrying
Express or Mail matter by this, instead of the
present slow and uncertain means. This will be
found the most pleasant and direct route for the
people living on and in the vicinity of Punta de
Los Rays. The time of starting will be from
Petaluma on Sundays, Tuesdays and Thursdays,
at 8 o'clock A. M., and from Preston's Mondays,
Wednesdays and Fridays, at the same hour.
First trip will be made on Sunday, April 8th,
Fare to and from either place \$3; to intermed-
iate places a reduction according to the distance.
33-1f R. J. PRESTON.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of an execution issued out of and
under the seal of the District Court, of the
Seventh Judicial District, in and for the County
of Sonoma, duly attested on the 11th day of
February, A. D. 1860, to me directed and deliv-
ered, I have levied upon and taken the following
Real Estate into execution: All that lot or parcel
of land lying and being in the city of Petaluma,
commencing at a point on the west side of Main
street, distant from the north-west corner of
Main and Oak streets 385 feet; thence along
Main street in a northerly direction 115 feet,
thence in a westerly direction about 900 feet
to Liberty street, thence in a southerly direction
along the eastern side of Liberty street 110 feet,
thence in an easterly direction 900 feet to the
point of beginning.

Notice is hereby given that on Saturday,
April 21st, A. D. 1860, at the door of the
Court House in Santa Rosa, County of Sonoma,
at the hour of 1 o'clock P. M., of said day, I will
sell all the right, title and interest that Wm.
Haydon had in or to the above described prop-
erty on the 10th day of February, A. D. 1860, to
the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy said exe-
cution.
JOHN J. ELLIS,
Sheriff of Sonoma County.

By E. LATAPIE, Deputy
Santa Rosa, March 30th, 1860. 35-1f

NOTICE.

ON and after the first day of April, 1860, the
City Hotel will charge only Six Dollars per
week for Board. Give us a call.

THIRTY TWO DOLLARS.
Breakfast from 6 1/2 to 8 1/2 o'clock.
Dinner " " 12 1/2
Supper " " 7 1/2
33-1f A. SCHRECK & BRO.

5050 April 13. 1860

The Sonoma County Journal

H. L. WESTON, EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR.

PETALUMA, FRIDAY, AUG. 3, 1880.

in Sonoma County Journal

ANNEXATION.—We are told on what we believe to be reliable authority, that a very large majority of the present residents of Marin county have avowed it to be their earnest desire that at the next session of the Legislature the county line of Marin should be extended eastward so as to include all that portion of Sonoma county lying between the present county line of Marin and Sonoma and the Nap line, and as far North as may be necessary to embrace Two Rock Valley, Big Valley, &c. thence on to the mouth of the Estero Americano; and that Petaluma shall become the county seat of Marin. That such an arrangement would be greatly to the advantage and accommodation of a majority of the residents of Marin, no one at all conversant with the county will doubt. A large majority of the residents of that county, either reside alone and in the immediate vicinity of the present line between Marin and Sonoma, or in the northern and western portion of the county. To these people Petaluma is of easy and speedy access, and much nearer than San Rafael. Further it is the point where they transact all their ordinary business affairs of trade. That they should, under these circumstances desire the change, no sound unbiased mind can marvel. To the inhabitants of that portion of Sonoma thus proposed to be annexed to Marin, we believe from all that we have been able to learn, that the change would be agreeable and profitable, and from a similar cause. Petaluma is likewise their point of trade, (with the exception of those of the Sonoma Valley,) and to make it the county seat of Marin county, would as a sequence greatly accommodate and benefit them. From present indications this matter will be laid before the Legislature at its next sitting, and it is quite possible it may even be before the people as one of the local questions to be provided for during the approaching political canvass. It may be well therefore, for such as have not already done so, to look this matter squarely in the face, and calmly, coolly, and dispassionately, discuss its features.

GRADING AND PAVING CONTRACT.—The contract for grading and paving the city's third of Main street from B street to the northerly line of Roberson's block, and Washington street from Main to Kentucky street, was last Thurs-

SEBASTOPOL.—During a visit to this place, made a few days since, we were greatly surprised to witness such remarkable evidence of thrift and prosperity. The traders, mechanics, and others all appeared busily engaged, and what is still better, fully satisfied with their prospects. The business of Sebastopol consists of three stores, two carriage shops, two blacksmith's shops, two hotels, one livery and one stage stable. One of the stores, belonging to our fellow-townsmen, I. Bernhard & Co., would do credit in every respect to any city or town in the State. The hotels, also, are deserving of support. Wilson's Exchange, a new, and quite an extensive establishment, is not yet fully completed, but will be in the course of a few weeks, (when it is to be opened with a grand ball,) makes quite an imposing appearance, and will add materially toward making Sebastopol a favorite place of resort for parties desiring a few days recreation, or hunting and fishing, in the country. To the lovers of the beauties of nature, this place offers many attractions, located as it is on the margin of a fine forest of oaks, firs and redwoods, and yet in the immediate vicinity of some of the finest farms and orchards in the State. Added to these attractions, and one of vital interest to sportsmen, near by is a fine stream from which large quantities of fish are taken. Sebastopol is located, as most of our readers are aware, about seventeen miles from Petaluma, and six from Santa Rosa, in Anady township, and is easy of access from this city, that very prince of jolly Jehues, Bill Tibbitts, running a daily stage between the two points. Parties desiring a day's drive into the country cannot find a pleasanter point to visit than Sebastopol, and we pledge them that either Mr. Wright of Wilson's Exchange, or Joaquin Carrillo, of the Anady Hotel, will attend to the wants of the inner man to their satisfaction.

In addition to the attractions named, we might add that of the garden and home of J. H. P. Morris, who having recently taken a joint partner in business will no doubt be happy to receive visits from his lady as well as from his male acquaintances. Mr. Morris' grounds are not extensive but are nevertheless quite tastily arranged and contain a very good assortment of choice and rare flowers and plants, making, with his snug little cottage nestling among the forest trees just in the rear, really an agreeable retreat.

OCCIDENTAL MILLS.—Messrs. Evans & Hartman, proprietors of this celebrated mill, are making extensive additions and improvements to

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SALE OF FINE STOCK.—The auction of Bay State Champion, St. Lawrence, &c., belonging to Joel Merchant of this city, took place at Fish's Stables, San Francisco, last Friday. The attendance was good, and the prices realized were, for Bay State Champion, \$1,800; St. Lawrence, \$700; a four-year-old stallion by Collier, \$300; a three-year-old Canadian stallion, \$175.

TIME AND SPACE ANNIHILATED.—On the 2d the *Alta* published news from Halifax, Nova Scotia, to the 30th ult., from the Atlantic cities to the 31st, from the Mississippi to the 1st inst., and from Europe to the 23d ult.

BALL AT BLOOMFIELD.—O. M. Lefebvre, of Bloomfield, announces a grand ball at the Big Valley Hall, on Friday evening, 15th inst., which will of course, be numerously attended by the laddies and lassies of that section.

BALL AT SEBASTOPOL.—A ball will take place at the Exchange Hotel, Sebastopol, on this, Friday, evening.

TEWKERS, BEWARE! THANKSGIVING AND PRAYER.—Governor Downey has appointed Thursday, 28th inst., as a day of thanksgiving and prayer.

DASHAWAY HALL.—The corner stone of the Dashaway Hall, in San Francisco, was laid with much ceremony last Tuesday, Governor Downey taking part in the services.

ADMITTED.—A. P. Overton, of this city, was admitted to the bar in the District Court, at Santa Rosa, during the late term of Court.

SAN JOSE MERCURY.—The publishers of this paper have made arrangements to commence the publication of a daily paper in San Jose, in connection with their daily.

HOMESTEAD LAW.—The Legislature of Nevada Territory have passed a homestead law, exempting from forced sale upon execution the property of the heads of families to the amount of \$5,000. That is a good beginning.

first ten words, \$5 75; for each additional word, 50 cents.

From San Francisco to New York or Washington, for the first ten words, \$6 75; for additional word, 52 cents.

From San Francisco to Boston, for the first ten words, \$7; for every additional word 50 cents.

Contrary to all precedent, the new regulations include the date of the dispatch. \$1 worth of messages were telegraphed on the second day of its opening. It proves a paying institution, particularly as General Government pays it \$40,000 a year for ten years, and the State of California gives it \$60,000 as a "starter."

FROM CARIBBOO.—The *Call* of the 3d, & considerable excitement was occasioned in San Francisco by the arrival of parties from Caribboo in British Columbia, with immense quantities of gold. One party of three had \$80,000. Fred. Kohler has in his possession several rich specimens, amounting to \$100, from Caribboo mines. Several parties have experienced a severe attack of the "gold fever," and will start for Caribboo, which is in a frozen region.

GREAT HUMBUG.—The Memphis *Atlan* of October 5th, pronounces the "peace" party in the Federal States "arrant humbugs," and says "they may hold their Conventions, whine about peace, and pass their canting resolutions until dooms-day, but will never effect a peace on their terms."

CONSUL TO BATAVIA.—J. S. Diehl, for many years a temperance lecturer in California, has been appointed to the Consulship of Batavia, on the East Indian Island of Java. The position is a lucrative one, but the climate reported the hottest and sickliest in the world.

WHAT FOR?—The Montreal Advertiser says that before the season of navigation closes, 100 magazines at Quebec will be filled with an amount of military stores greater than the ever held before, with arms, cannon, and equipment for an army of 100,000 men, and ammunition sufficient for a three years' war.

ommenced on last Thursday. This is good news to our citizens, for we now have a prospect within a short time of having the steam-boat landing within about a mile of town. The work is being done with a steam digger, which was brought from San Francisco by the steamer Clinton. Operations were commenced on the first cut above Rudesill's.

Petaluma Guards.—The annual election of this company took place last Monday evening with the following result: P. B. Hewlett, Captain; J. W. Hartman, 1st Lieutenant; H. P.erguson, 2d do.; Geo. Lloyd, 1st Orderly Sergeant; J. W. Harris, 2d do.; Henry Uffert, 3d do.; H. T. Ward, 4th do.; Henry Vanoren, Secretary; A. McKay, Treasurer.

Calico Ball.—Our citizen, Mr. Geo. Ross, is making arrangements to give an extensive ball on the 20th of February, in commemoration of Washington's birthday. Mr. Ross, we are informed, is determined that it shall be the ball of the season, and we have no doubt he will make it all he promises. Presumably, ye lovers of Terpsichorean delights, will have a happy occasion.

Coal Mines Discovered.—Out of evil comes good. The recent heavy rains have so saturated the earth that land slides are prevailing all over the country. One of these occurred on the Petaluma valley side of the Ross mountain, and has revealed to view a lead of a coal mine. Of how extensive a future it is, we cannot at present tell.

Fire at Healdsburg.—The *Democrat* is informed that the barn and tobacco house of E. Green was recently destroyed by fire. A man, who had been reprimanded by Mr. Green for too liberally helping himself to the tobacco, is supposed to have set fire to the building. Loss estimated \$1,500.

Fortunate Escape.—Kate, a little daughter of Dr. Barnitz, came near drowning on last Wednesday, in a trough on D street. But for the presence of mind of a lady, whose name we did not learn, who rushed into the water and rescued her, she must have been lost.

Wants a Bible.—The "local items" of the *F. Herald and Mirror* asked for a Bible, and the next day the editor-in-chief apologized.

allowed to move about, study over the past, and determine for the future. As it is now, he must be so watched, lest he escape, that he feels that no faith is reposed in any promise that he makes, and as a consequence, not having the confidence of those controlling him, he feels but little encouragement to zealously commence the work of reform. Placed upon an island where few chances of escape would present themselves, yet surrounded by all the necessary means of moral, physical and intellectual improvement, he would be less watched, and as a result feel that his word honestly spoken, not to attempt to escape, would be respected, and feeling this, his endeavors to advance himself would be much greater than otherwise. Nothing so keeps down the youth, and discourages him in seeking the path of rectitude, as a belief that those he respects, respects not him. Hence the necessity that the unfortunate boy should be sent where continually watching eyes are not upon him.

The majority of youth sent to these institutions go, not for crimes committed or attempted, but because they have no parents, are more wanderers or rovers, and subject to such temptations as in the end would result in their ruin. Philanthropy and benevolence suggest that they should be provided for, that they should be clothed and fed, properly instructed, and at a suitable period placed in some business where they may grow up and prove good and useful citizens of society.

Obsequies to the Dead.—The funeral ceremonies of the late Dr. Brown of this city, were numerously attended by our citizens, who turned out to take the last look at the departed dead. The children of our public schools joined in the procession. The funeral sermon was delivered in the Congregational Church, of which he was a member, by the Rev. Stump, of the Methodist Episcopal church, of this city. The Rev. Mr. Richardson, of the Baptist church, also took part in the ceremonies.

St. Valentine's Day.—Next Friday, 14th inst., will be St. Valentine's day, and as such will of course be duly observed by sighing swains and roguish maidens. Mr. Wilson, of the Exchange, Sebastopol, as a means of furnishing yet additional zest to the event,

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Dedication.—On the 10th inst., a large congregation gathered at the Episcopal Church for the dedication. The Rev. Dr. Cisco, the presiding minister, perintended the exercises, and delivered an able sermon, which will be a monument of the debt incurred by the church in the present, as pastor.

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Assemblyman El. in San Francisco, on a vacancy occasioned by the death of Otis, resulted in the election of his opponent, a candidate of the Republican Union of the Payers Union of the city, reported by the *Alta* to have received a number of votes cast for Worthington received 1,885. Both candidates were men.

Washington, Gr. requested by the Board of the second monthly commencement on Monday. Classes are in progress by single and double French Philosophy; and the second month French commences. These are taught, the Arithmetic having been pleased to hear that Dunne to continue in summer.

Saxena.—Mayor of San Francisco, acknowledge from sympathizing with destitution by the

New Town.—A town has been located on the

only. In the Southern States it is found necessary to admit their testimony. Ho spoke at some length on this point, and then came to the Chinese. With them the case was diametrically different. Not one of these reasons could be brought to bear upon either the Mongolians or the Indians. Negroes have business relation with all classes of society; they are identified with us in commerce, and in many of the arts. Neither of the other two races speak our language, understand our institutions, nor have they, according to our understanding, common sense; hence they cannot feel with equal force the responsibility of an oath.

From Our old Correspondent.

SEBASTIPOOL, March 20 1 thousand 8 hundred 62: MR. EDITOR:—I spose you hav bout come to the conclusun that Jim Lippit is gwine to forever here after hold his pice; but that aint the case; fur the Scriptur ses ef you start in a good cause you must not turn back, and shurely there aint eny better perfeshun than exposin traitors.

The reason I havent writ too you be4 is this:—I watched very clost too now what foaks had to say about my tuther letter too you, and I find all good Union lovin sitizens, was highly plected with the sentiment of the peace; but the Sesseshioners had a heap ov laffin at my spellin. So I cuncluded to study Websters spellin book a while befor I writ agin so that tha cant have nuthin too laff at. One Republican friend of mine told me there was sum ungrammaticle mistakes in the peace, but the Sesseshioners dont now anything about Grammer so tha wont hav eny thing too laff at on that score.

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nor of the State, five thousand dollars per
annum; to the Secretary of State, three thou-
sand dollars per annum; to the Controller
of State, three thousand dollars per annum;
to the Treasurer of State, three thousand
dollars per annum; to the Attorney-General,
three thousand dollars per annum; to the
Surveyor-General, three thousand dollars per
annum; to the Superintendent of Public
Instruction, twenty-five hundred dollars per
annum; to the State Librarian, twelve hun-
dred per annum; provided, that he shall not
receive any other salary or emolument what-
ever but such as is provided in this Act, to
the Clerk of the Supreme Court five thou-
sand dollars per annum; to the State Geolo-
gist, four thousand dollars per annum; to the
State Gauger twenty-five hundred dollars per
annum; to the Port Wardens, twenty-five
hundred dollars each per annum; to the Ad-
jutant-General three thousand dollars per
annum; to the Warden of the State Prison,
twenty-four hundred dollars per annum; to
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fourteen hundred and fifty dollars per annum;
to the Guards of the State Prison, six hundred
dollars per annum; to the Resident Physician
of the Insane Asylum, four thousand dollars
per annum; to the Governor's Private Secre-
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The pay of the members of the Legislature is too high. Six dollars per day for the first ninety days and *nothing* after that time, would be about right. If the Legislature meets every year ninety days is time enough. In some other States where the Legislatures meet but once in *two* years ninety days is considered a long session.

COLORED TESTIMONY.—On this subject most of the Union men seem disposed to face the music. Messrs. Reed, Worthington and Shannon lead off in favor of the bill, in the House on the 21st inst., Mr. Dudley, of Placer, "Nutmeg Chiv," from the Southern part of New England was the principal opponent to the measure. The *Atta* reports Mr. Reed as saying:

Mr. Reed was opposed to any measures which should tend to place these races on an equality with the whites, and to the mingling of distinct races. The lessons of history show that in all such mingling the vices of the inferior race take root in the habits of the dominant, and pull them down; while the mental class is not lifted up to the high standard of the more enlightened; but when they are so mingled it is the duty of wise

LEMA ARGUS I sed. What! said he do you rite fur that ar-cussed abolition sheet? Ses I its no Abolitioner; it only stands up fur our Country Uncle Abe an the Constitution; but you Sesshioners calls every boddy an Abolitioner that aint a traitor too his God, and his Country, and in favour ov slavery. Said he Jeff Davis aint no more of a traitor nur Abe Lincoln is—ses I thats a lye. Just then I didnt feel much like a Nuse Paper correspondent; but I felt jest like I think a big grizzly feels when hes tormented with a passel of hoands—he feels like tappin, em over; so with this feelin on me I begin too ride toards him; jest as I was giten up too him, he begin too git powerful horsetile and rared up in his stirrups and hollered out hooraw fur Jef Da—and jest as he said Da, I foteh him a diff on the side of the drecmin goard that made him put the vis to it as he struck the ground tuther side ov the plug he was ridin. So I left his arms and legs pieken a traitor out of the mud, and haint seen him sense.

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THE CURRENCY QUESTION.

ED. JOURNAL: The legal tender or greenback law is working great injury to honest men in this State, and an equal benefit to knaves. It furnishes a plausible pretext for many who are disposed to do right, to become swindlers and robbers; and in that way it is undermining the morals of our whole community. For instance, a man borrowed of a friend in 1861 a large sum of money in gold to make the last payment on his farm, and soon sells half the farm to provide for the payment. The purchaser gives his note and mortgage for the piece which is assigned to the friend who loaned the money before greenbacks were thought of. When due he tenders payment in paper worth only sixty-two cents, and saves thirty-eight per cent. of what he promised to pay. The generous man who made the loan, to oblige his friend, loses his interest and a part of his principal by the speculation, and the knave makes a net profit of several hundred dollars, by operation of the law. Any law which encourages and protects swindlers, is wrong, and is not or should not be binding. Congress who passed the law, can give a remedy, not by exempting this State from the operation of the legal tender enactment, but by an act declaring that the law shall not apply to or affect contracts made previous to its enactment. This would remove the objection that it is an *ex post facto* law, and impairs the obligation of contracts, to which any law that enables a dishonest debtor to pay \$100 with \$62 must be subject. Such a declaratory act would prevent injustice, induce the people to make their contracts on a true basis, and introduce the Government paper currency into general circulation. L. F. C.

A COWARDLY DEED.—Mr. Robt. Ferguson, formerly of this city, was fatally shot, at Healdsburg, on last Friday evening, by some unknown person. Mr. Ferguson, who was in the employ of Mr. Baillache at the time of the shooting, was one of a party of four engaged in

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

The Board of Supervisors, after a session of five days, adjourned on the 7th to the 20th inst. The following business was transacted during the session:

The road between the Adobe and Fifth street, Vallejo, between the lands of Cook and Elmore, was declared a private road as surveyed.

The application for a road from Sonoma city to Vallejo, was ignored.

The report of the Viewers on the road leading from Sonoma city through the lands of Mrs. Lewis, et al was adopted, the road declared a public highway and \$350 damages allowed Mrs. Lewis.

In the matter of road from Sebastopol to Windsor Cottage—ordered that said road as surveyed, be declared a public road, and damages be declared as follows: Bowen, \$50; Fix, \$3.

Edward Latapie was appointed Constable for Petaluma, vice W. N. Ferril, resigned; and Calvin Rohrer do. for Vallejo.

E. Van Allen was appointed Roadmaster for Petaluma Road District No. 2, vice J. C. Baker, resigned; J. W. Bayley do. for Mendocino District No. 2, vice S. R. Prince, deceased; L. A. Crayins do. for Cloverdale, vice S. H. Smith, resigned.

S. J. Finley, Roadmaster for Bodega township, was allowed to purchase 2,000 feet of lumber for building a bridge near the Freestone Hotel; and J. C. Hoag, of Anally District No. 3, was directed to procure 3,000 feet of lumber for his District.

An order was entered changing the boundaries of Waugh School District, Vallejo Township, in accordance with prayer of a portion of citizens of said district; and a district was organized in Salt Point Township, agreeable to petition on file.

A warrant for \$50 was ordered to be drawn in favor of Wm. Churchman, County Judge, to be expended furnishing the County Judge's office.

The following bills were then ordered paid: John M. Murphy, \$50; F. Rohrer, 4; J. Singley, 4; F. Alberling, 4; E. D. Green, 4; W. B. Jones, 4; F. T. Hayward, 38 1/2; J. Harlow, 4 1/2.

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does. Mr. Weller, like Mr. Temple, won for
himself a most unenviable distinction. He
said that he "believed, though he would not
say it, yet it was his private opinion, that
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settle this difficulty civilly, and if this could
not be done, then he would say to the South
in the language of the Patriarch "if thou
wilt go to the right hand then will I go to
the left," he summed up in those words his
entire speech, and by them interpreted into
plain English, the platform of his party; and
for this he received the applause of his party.
This was the substance of all the speeches
made on this occasion.

CONSTITUTION.

Meeting at Sebastopol,

At a meeting held by the citizens of Sebastopol
it was resolved that public meetings will be held
at this place on Saturday the 1st, 15th and 29th
of August at 2 o'clock, P. M. Prominent Union
speakers have been engaged to address the meet-
ings.

Ladies and Gentlemen are invited to attend.
A. BUSHNELL, Chairman.
W. D. Burbans, Secretary.

NOT AFRAID OF SWAMPS.—The progress of
the war has developed the ability of our
soldiers to surmount almost any physical
obstacle, and to live in places hitherto re-
garded as uninhabitable. Now we learn
that not only is the Great Dismal Swamp
habitable, but even salubrious, according to
the war correspondent of the Philadelphia
Press, who says:

The name of the Great Dismal Swamp
starts a feeling of ill-defined dread and hor-
ror in the breasts of those who have become
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sues heretofore dividing the loyal people of the different political parties have been settled, and the only issue now before the nation is union or disunion.

Resolved, That we heartily indorse the President's Proclamation of Freedom, of January 1, 1863, believing it to be a wise and proper war measure, and a step onward in the cause of civilization and human progress.

Resolved, That the brave officers and men who are upholding the National flag on land and sea are worthy the admiration of mankind and the gratitude of the nation.

Resolved, That we call upon all loyal citizens to unite with us in rebuking and defeating at the polls in September next the malignant tribe of Copperheads, who, falsely claiming the name of Democrats, seek on all occasions to discourage our armies in the field, and to corrupt the patriotic sentiment of the loyal people of the country.

Union State Ticket.

- For Governor, **F. E. LOW.**
- For Lieut. Governor **T. N. MACHIN.**
- For Congress,
T. B. SHANNON, WILLIAM HIGBY, CORNELIUS COLE.
- For Secretary of State, **B. B. REDDING.**
- For State Treasurer, **R. PACHECO.**
- For State Controller, **GEORGE OULTON.**
- For Attorney General, **J. G. McCULLOUGH.**
- For Clerk Sup. Court, **W. D. HARRIMAN.**
- For State Printer, **O. M. CLAYES.**
- For Surveyor General, **J. F. HOUGHTON.**
- For Harbor Commissioner, **C. L. TAYLOR.**
- For Supt. Pub. Instruction **JOHN SWETT,**
of San Francisco.
- For Judges of Supreme Court,
O. L. SHAFER, JOHN CURRY and L. SAWYER, of San Francisco, **A. L. RHODES** of Santa Clara, and **S. W. SANDERSON,** of El Dorado.

SONOMA COUNTY UNION TICKET.

- For Senator;
DR. J. J. PIPER, of Healdsburg.
- For Assemblymen;
E. DENMAN; of Petaluma,
J. McREYNOLDS; Analy,
JOHN ORR; Salt Point.
- For Sheriff;
N. FIKE; Washington.
- For District Attorney;
F. D. COLTON, of Petaluma.
- For Coroner;

whose every act proclaims their unmistakable sympathy with the rebellion. By hollow professions they seek to disguise their real sentiments. When we assert that nine-tenths of the file leaders of that party, in this State, are, at heart, as rank traitors as Toombs, Yancy or Wigfall, we but give expression to the universal sentiment of loyal Californians. Let such receive the brand their perfidy merits; let their names become a hissing by-word; let their memories be preserved but to be execrated.

SECESSION IN SEBASTOPOL.—Last Saturday the Democratic party, which now spells its name "Secesh," erected a pole 91 feet high, and hoisted the Union flag upon it, surmounted with a streamer, bearing the word "Constitution," upside down. Then they had a grand "pow-wow," and apparently had a good time generally. The whole affair was evidently got up for the purpose of "roping in" outsiders; but we hope with no effect. The whole affair is so transparent that nobody but very silly people can be deceived. The conduct of the Secessionists reminds us of what some travellers tell us about the habits of the ostrich. When it is pursued and wishes to escape observation it thrusts its head into the nearest sand heap and leaves its body sticking out. Not until it feels the blows of its pursuer does it find out its mistake. The Union party very plainly see the body of Secession sticking out of all these so called Democratic demonstrations, although its head is hidden; and when the day of next election comes we hope that a vigorous application of boot-toe will emphatically convince the Secesh ostrich that it has deceived no one but itself.

WITHDRAWN.—The Copperhead organ at Sacramento states that the State Central Committee of that party has withdrawn the Judicial ticket and the candidate for Superintendent of Public Instruction. We are surprised at the removal of Tod Robinson, for he is the best, truest and most able representative of the principals of that party on the entire State ticket. He is the head, front, and back-bone of the concern. We like him for his frankness and boldness. He is an open and avowed enemy of the

Connor stationed at exercise up there.

SKETCHES HIM.—*ville News* says: "apothecary by profession; was Governor's accident; is by choice a Copperhead."

DON'T LIKE 'EM.—this county express "blue bellied Yank meg makers." So had to "hold the Temple was "sayin barbacue."

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JOINT DISCUSSION
George Pearce, Esq. Senator, have arranged as follows:—Bode 11th; Sebastopol, Thursday 13th; K Healdsburg, Sat Monday 17th; C Santa Rosa, 20th 22d; Bloomfield 2d

BEARS.—A war wilds beyond He request to the Editor to come up and just now infesting have already "and completely "Have patience, "copperheads," will attend to you

WARM CONTEST
a struggle over "fishes" of the Cu telegram—appea paper, from San Senator Conne to-day. It is un

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Petaluma, Aug. 28th, 1862.

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All persons indebted to Hinman & Co., are requested to make immediate settlement.

ATTENTION

A Tract of Land, embracing 100 acres, has recently been divided into lots, which are on as reasonable terms as any various Homestead Association tract is known as the "University" and derives its name from the donors of the University. The site of about twenty acres of tract for their College Building property is more beautiful than in this market, and its value must in the natural progress be in great demand for place this property will increase in as the future of San Francisco. Investments in Real Estate have paid as largely as any against risk of depreciation in the sure and rapid increase

tribute the heaviest blows yet dealt to rebellion, and that one at least of these important successes could not have been achieved unless it was by the aid of the black soldiers. Among the commanders holding these views are some who have never had any affinity with what is called Abolitionism, or with the Republican party in politics, but who hold them purely as a military opinion; and I submit their opinions as being entitled to some weight against the objections often urged that the Emancipation and arming the blacks are unwise as military measures, and were not adopted as such in good faith. Some say that you will not fight to free negroes. Some of them seem to be willing enough to fight for you; but no matter, fight you, then, to save the Union. I issued the proclamation of a purpose to aid in saving the Union, and whenever you shall have conquered all resistance to the Union, if I shall urge you to continue fighting, it will be an apt time then for you to declare that you will not fight to free negroes. I thought that in your struggle for the Union to whatever extent the negroes should cease helping the enemy, to that extent it weakens the enemy in his resistance to you. Do you think differently? I thought that whatever negroes can be got to be as soldiers leaves just so much less for white soldiers to do in saving the Union. Does it appear otherwise to you? But negroes, like other people, act upon a motive. Why should they do anything for us if we will do nothing for them? If they stake their lives for us, they should be protected by the strongest possible motive, even a promise of freedom; and a promise made must be kept.

SIGNIFICANT.—The *Ione Chronicle* mentions the following circumstance: "As an instance of the feeling existing in our social circles, we cite the case in which a young copperhead was tabooed. On last Sunday evening he called at the residence of one of our citizens and invited the gentlemen's daughter to accompany him to the camp meeting. She declined accepting the invitation, on the ground of his not being a Union man. He then waited upon another young lady and received the same reply, but undaunted by these signal rebukes, he called

stands trembling upon the brink of the grave. Thus passes away the relics of the past.

Unofficial Election Returns.

The following is very nearly correct, and comprises all the voting places except one—Copper precinct. We will be able to give a complete table in our next:

Precincts.	Downey.	Low.
Santa Rosa.....	308.....	162 ✓
Sopoma.....	175.....	104 ✓
Vallejo.....	125.....	87 ✓
Redwood.....	29.....	26 ✓
Sebastopol.....	132.....	88 ✓
Russian River.....	117.....	70 ✓
Bloomfield.....	57.....	136 ✓
Bodega Corners.....	82.....	64 ✓
St. Helena.....	24.....	13 ✓
Freestone.....	46.....	24 ✓
Duncan's Mill.....	10.....	33 ✓
Healdsburg.....	197.....	190 ✓
Petaluma.....	212.....	434 ✓
Washoe House.....	21.....	51 ✓
Cloverdale.....	55.....	40 ✓
Timber Cove.....	8.....	50 ✓
Stewart's Point.....	27.....	11 ✓
Fiske's Mill.....	3.....	9 ✓
Big Plain.....	15.....	30 ✓
Geyserville.....	37.....	31 ✓
Total	1,684	1,663

The precinct not heard from, we understand, gave a small majority for the Secesh.

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Mr. J. F. Kessing foots up the result of the county ticket as follows, which will not be changed much by the official count:

For Senator:	
Pearce, Secession,	1,693. ✓
Piper, Union.	1,599.
For Assemblymen:	
Smith, Secession,	1,695. ✓
Hong, "	1,679.
Whallon, "	1,690.
McReynolds, Union,	1,594.
Denman, "	1,637.
Orr, "	1,627.
For Sheriff:	
Clark, Secession,	1,692. ✓
Fike, Union,	1,618.
For Clerk:	
Anderson, Secession,	1,706. ✓
Baldwin, Union,	1,601.
For Recorder:	
Pyatt, Secession,	1,705. ✓
Rider, Union,	1,604.
For District Attorney:	
Ross, Secessionist,	1,690. ✓
Colton, Union,	1,608.
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LETTER FROM SACRAMENTO.

SACRAMENTO, Oct. 6, 1868.

DEAR JOURNAL: "Ever of thee I am fondly thinking," and therefore I am going to afflict you with another of my "tender epistles."

The State Fair, Theater, Circus, Centrifugal Railroad and all those lively scenes of the last week have gone from our gaze, and our "City of the Plains" has resumed her accustomed appearance, and monotony, her chief characteristic, reigns almost supreme.

The Fair, judging from the tone of the press throughout the State, has given general satisfaction, and the receipts indicate a healthy financial condition. The exhibitors from your county were few—not as many as should have been from a county of such varied and extensive resources. Your fellow-townsmen, G. R. Coddington, Esq., was here, and had on exhibition "Henry's Repeating Rifle," which attracted much attention, and was highly spoken of. The most noticeable feature of the Fair, was the grand ball given at its close. It was a magnificent affair. There were about two hundred couples present, and the fair daughters of California, dressed in the latest fashions, shown resplendent with grace and beauty.

There seems to be a decided lull in politics. It appears to be a general conviction that the decree has gone forth, and that the Union nominees are to be our next Supreme Judges, and that there is no use fighting against it. Already candidates are being announced for the subordinate positions of the next Legislature. W. E. Brown desires to be Secretary of the next Senate, and Rev. O. C. Wheeler Secretary of the Assembly.

I had the pleasure of meeting in this city last Friday morning, my old friend Thomas L. Carothers, of your city. He came up here to be examined before the Supreme Court for admission to practice law in the Courts of this State. Yesterday the October term of the court began, and application was made

GENERAL NEWS SUMMARY.

J. F. P. Smith, of Sebastopol, is turning out a fine article of manufactured tobacco.

Henry Edgerton is an aspirant for the position of U. S. Senator from the future State of Washoe.

George Walker, of Santa Rosa, arraigned before Justice Baber, charged with assisting D. M. Graham to make his escape from Prison, was honorably acquitted.

According to the Portland Times diptheria is making fearful ravages among the children in that city.

Oregon fruit is brought down on the steamers to San Francisco for \$8 a ton.

Peabody, the American banker in London, has signified a desire to give Yale College \$100,000 for a geological fund.

Gen. Robt. Anderson, of Fort Sumter fame, will soon take command of Fort Adams, near Newport, R. I.

Artemus Ward, the funny showman, is expected soon to arrive in San Francisco, with two comical lectures.

Lord Clyde, better known to Americans as Sir John Campbell, died in England, on the 14th ult., at the age of 71 years.

John Tighe, a new comer to the State, was run over and instantly killed on the Mission Railroad last Sunday.

Rowlison Bros., of Little Lake Valley, are making and sending into market a fine article of rye whisky.

The waiters of San Francisco have demanded and obtained an increase of wages. The raise is from \$35 to \$40 per month.

Articles of incorporation have been filed by the Money Co., Independence Lode, and Guilucus Mining Companies, Palmyra District, Lyon county, N. T. The office of the companies will be in Santa Rosa.

The Press says that Judge S. Clinton Hastings, of Benicia, the richest man in Solano county, gives in the amount of his income for one year to the Federal Assessor as being \$9,536. The Federal tax on that amount is \$288 08.

VIRGINIA NOT THE

'Tis a mistaken notion says the *Enterprise* one city in the world more populous than Virginia. It will be seen that no city or town much higher than Virginia will be seen that a number of places in heaven than Vir Quito is 9,520 feet above the sea, the city of Miculpan in Mexico, lying on a high plain, is at some 350 miles above the level of the Pacific: City of Potosi is 13,350; mines of Potosi, 12,760; height of Virg is 6,147 feet; then that we lack a number the second highest even the city of Lima is but 7,846 feet above us.

NARROW ESCAPE

ville journals state a performance in that celebrated Blondin's life, and only owing to the presence of mind he had on a head-attached a piece of rope in the shape of a wheel which lighted it assumed violent that Blondin resist the movement, get let go the barrier before him, as a pole, and endeavor which attached the neck. He dropped himself suspended by one leg, while he divested himself of his apparatus, the firework. At length he succeeded in safety, amidst the gaze of the spectators.

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to the District Convention.

The Plumas County Sanitary
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Oregon.—The Capital question
Salem, 6,108, Portland,
City, 1,588. Majority for
About every town in the State
votes.

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The Fourth of July at Sebastopol.

Sebastopol in this county is a somewhat celebrated region. The population is principally composed of the latter day Democrats, not Democrats of the Jackson or Douglas or Dickinson school, but Democrats who have learned in the Beriah Brown school, and who believe in stealing, robbing stages, fitting out pirate schooners and ignoring all the teachings and lessons of genuine Democracy, and take as their patron saint one Judas Iscariot of ancient fame.

There are at Sebastopol a few genuine Union men, men of the honest Democracy who love their country and are in earnest for its salvation from the machinations of the murderous pirates who are constantly plotting its overthrow. We love and honor the brave Union men who there are compelled to breathe a tainted and polluted atmosphere, made such, by the belchings of blasphemous rebels who fear neither God nor man. We are glad to state, that there are in the region of Sebastopol, men with

Hearts resolved, and hand prepared,
The blessings they enjoy to guard.

What is called a "Fourth of July Oration" was delivered at Sebastopol on the Fourth, by Thomas L. Carothers of this town. The Oration appears in the rebel organ of the county, and it bears to all who have patience to "turn it o'er and view it well," many finger marks. It is, as the boys say, somewhat of a mix. It is neither fish, flesh nor fowl, but is *snake*, from head to tail. *Copperhead!*

So far as the talent displayed in the effusion is concerned it would not be out of place to say, as the old lady said of her Tom's fiddle: "Sakes alive, our Tom made that fiddle all out of his own head, and had lots of wood left."

That Thomas L. Carothers has talent of a certain sort, we all know. And he is not the only Thomas in Petaluma that has talent. One of our friends on the hill, has a

Shooting for Jerry.—I of Mendocino county, has few days with his fellow city. On Sunday even Lemuel indulged rather tionally "tangle-leg" and amusements, such ascher Beauregard, & Co. He of officer Knowles, who le aboon, like a lamb to th next morning he appea Recorder and plead g general principles," was paid. He was shortly a for cheering Jeff Davis, Justice Reed for trial. I in the sum of \$500.00, he the custody of Constab ordered to appear for tri the following morning. the Constitutional Den thoroughly aroused! M lion of the day—and wa multitude of counsel. the guest of a distinguish legal profession—Judg whom he slept. Tuesd appointed hour the prison ed in a complete suit o best broad cloth. The t docted through the day, the jury brought in a ve prisoner who was allowe with perfect liberty, was ture of the verdict, in ad and "did not stand on the but went very fast! He to disrobe himself of his and the sympathetic good clothes and couns brother pass the hat aro gregation sing: "Oh! I Thus closed the day's en GRAND FARE! The Jas to the echo by the Const

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 and the sympathetic Judge is minus his
 good clothes and counsel fee! Will some
 brother pass the hat around while the con-
 gregation sing: "Oh! for Dixie's Land!"
 Thus closed the day's entertainment with a
 GRAND FARE! The last act was applauded
 to the echo by the Constitutional Democracy.
 BADLY SOLD.—The Constitutional Democ-
 racy were badly sold last Sunday. W. L.
 Anderson telegraphed from Santa Rosa that
 Dr. Harris, Willson and Valentine, three
 noted rebels, of Sebastopol, had been arrest-
 ed for treason and would be sent to Alcatraz.
 As the despatch came from a rebel, they
 believed it to be true, and many a long face
 might have been observed on our streets.
 One of these Constitutional expounders offer-
 ed to bet \$500, that the arrests were the
 results of Joe McReynold's lying—that Joe
 had informed on them, and that Joe was an
 awful fellow. Along towards night the Se-
 bastopol stage arrived, and the Democracy
 were much relieved to hear that the dispatch
 which had caused so much gloom in their
 camp was a hoax. Democracy rejoiced with
 exceeding great joy, and many of its disci-
 ples indulged freely in the "tangle leg"
 fluid. We were strongly reminded of the
 following:
 "Inspiring, bold, John Barley Corn,
 What dangers thou dost make us scorn!"
 A fellow from Mendocino who rejoices in
 the cognomen of Cox, "much addicted" to the
 freedom of speech, was anxious that all the
 Southern gentlemen in town should drink
 with him, many of whom responded with
 alacrity. He then indulged in cheers for his
 chief—Jeff Davis—till he lost his reckoning,
 and finally brought up at the Recorder's
 office to answer charges of a serious nature.
 The proceedings appear in another column.
 Mr. Anderson was evidently sold, or he
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Antonia Creek, presented us with some fine large specimens of the "Gloria Mundi" apples, which are of the second crop grown upon his trees in the year 1864.

Good!—Rev. Mr. Frasier preached an eloquent Sermon at the Two Rock Church on Thursday 24th, Thanksgiving Day. At the close of meeting a collection of one hundred and fifty dollars in coin was taken up for the Sanitary Commission.

MEAN.—A subscriber at Sebastopol complains that he gets little good of the paper he has paid us for, as his Secesh neighbors borrow it and read it round from house to house with eagerness and then talk all the week on what they have read. He seldom has a fair read of his own paper. This is just like the rebels here. They sneak around get the reading of the paper, and then talk all the week of the march of vile abolition ideas.

A PITY.—It is a pity that some people will not learn to either be silent or else speak the truth. A local rebel of prepossessing appearance, has been blowing around the corners that our item in reference to the indebtedness of certain parties to the Public School was an "abolition lie." We regret that the figures on the books show that this same old gent owes Lippitt twenty-seven dollars! If people cannot bear a loyal Teacher they are in duty bound to pay their debts before they remove their children from the school.

A GOOD SHOT.—Uncle Ben Turman, who lives only two miles out of town, tried his luck the other morning back of his field. He crept up near the geese by driving a horse before him, and fired three shots, with the following result. The first fire brought down nine fat geese—the second brought down twelve, and the third killed eight. Twenty-nine at three shots we call good. We can vouch for the truth of this, for we helped to eat the geese—thanks to Uncle Ben.

and living was a serious matter indeed. thanks to a good Providence, the rains come, and come in earnest, and have creased all the parched coast, the earth is roughly softened and prepared for the plough, and the farmers to thrust in the plough, and the will immediately begin to spring, and in view of an abundant harvest, every price will tumble from their present position, and poor men, women and children will be able to live. The miners will more have water to work, and the towns will revive again, business will revive, trade will spring into newness of life, our glorious State will rapidly recover from present depression.

Bold Scheme of Piracy Frustrated

The Panama Railroad Company own very superior iron steamers, the *Gaut* and *Salvador*, employed in the trade between Panama and ports in Central America. These vessels were built in England and are very swift sailers. A plan was concocted by Jeff. Davis to seize one or both of these vessels and convert them into pirates, to prey upon the California steamers and passenger ships. The pirates came from St. Thomas on the British steamer *Tamur*, and took possession of the *Salvador*. The matter was a profound secret until about noon on the 10th ult., when the *Salvador* was ready for departure. The passengers were embarked as usual, apparently no suspicion being excited. Immediately on coming on board the passengers were requested to enter the main saloon, the other rooms having been previously examined in order to have their tickets examined. A signal was then given to the commanding officer of the U. S. ship *Lancaster*, who with a full complement of armed marines was stationed on and about the P. M. Co's steamer *Sacramento*, at a short distance from the *Salvador*, that was ready. Captain Davenport was

Hon. Edward Everett.

Official Vote of Sonoma Co. Nov. 8th, 1864.

	ELECTORS		CONGRESS		SUPERVISORS			
PRECINCTS:	McClellan	Lincoln	Temple	Bidwell	Avall	Henderson	Smith	Fowler
Petaluma.....	553	559	357	556				
Vallejo	140	98	141	96				
Sonoma.....	229	112	230	111				
Stony Point	36	33	36	33			35	32
Santa Rosa	437	208	439	203			434	204
Windsor.....	145	86	143	85	133	82		
Mendocino...	269	243	269	240	265	236		
Big Plain....	38	40	38	40	37	39		
Geyserville	64	47	64	46	64	47		
Cloverdale	61	51	61	51	49	60		
St. Helena	38	26	38	25	34	21		
Sebastopol	191	114	190	112			189	112
Red Wood	32	34	31	33			32	32
Valley Ford	19	41	19	42			19	41
Bloomfield	67	170	67	170			55	162
Bodega	146	73	145	73			115	53
Duncan's Mill	26	28	23	28			23	17
Fisk's Mill	19	25	19	25	19	25		
Timber Cove	28	38	28	37	28	37		
Total, McClellan	2,336.		Total, Temple	2,336.				
" Lincoln	2,026.		Bidwell	2,006.				
McC's majority	310.		Temple's Maj.	330.				

CATCH THEM AT IT.—There is no danger of Brown's *Press*, Street's *Express* or the press at Santa Rosa giving their readers a correct account of the recent murders in Tulare county, when quiet and inoffensive citizens were called out of their beds at night and shot dead, because they voted for Lincoln. All that vexes the rebel press of California is that the shooting has not been more general. These rebel editors should be held responsible at the end of a strong rope for the murders their wild and wicked ravings have occasioned. The rope argu-

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g the distinguished men that Beriah and similar rebels, claimed as friend-traitor McClellan, Hon. Edward was named. The mention of so man as Everett in connection with a soul as McClellan and so mean a Beriah Brown, cannot at present be We would as soon expect to hear stle Paul defending traitors as Ed- Everett, who recently in his great Boston, said; 'I have within a few yersed with a most intelligent gen- past the meridan of life who, to ing forced into the trenches, succeed- x weeks since, in escaping from one ulf States. He assured me that he yersed with wealthy planters who ary of sacrificing their sons to pre- air slaves; and it is within my per- owledged that many of the most ned citizens of the South regard as an unmitigated evil. They did so fore it had wantonly involved them measureless calamities of war. It is uman nature that the masses of the should carry on a ruinous war for- gratify the pride, the temper, the n of a few political and military lead- governing aristocracy to which long. Why then should we overturn nistration of our own Government risis of the struggle, in order to bring essors who will offer to those leaders

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EASTERN NEWS


rk, Jan. 23d.—The *Herald's* special has various rumors con-
 cerning his visit to Richmond. One is
 brought an autograph letter
 to Lincoln, saying he was ready
 for peace, and that a communication
 has been taken back to Rich-
 mond expressing a willingness to send or
 receive commissioners. Many well-informed
 in Washington look for important
 Blair's second visit to the rebel
 capital. An article appears in the *Rich-
 mond* of last Thursday which says
 that very many efforts that the rebels
 make, and policy and interest may
 lead to submit to the United States,
 to England, France, or Mexi-
 co, with their military forces they
 sweep this continent and thus
 have the same. While America will be
 the colossal power of the world. On
 no account, some of the Richmond editors
 the fact that they have lost all
 the fruits of consequence, make great
 of these disasters blessings.
 Now is their sole business.
 The Union must be vigorously enforced
 one that can must serve.
 rk, Jan. 23.—The Richmond
 that negroes in the prime of life
 better soldiers than white men of

ROBBERIES AT SEBASTOPOL.—The safe of Mr.
 John Dougherty, a merchant at Sebastopol,
 was robbed one day last week, of three hun-
 dred dollars in gold. Mr. D. was in a back
 room at the time, and had failed to lock the
 safe.

FINE TIME AT SEBASTOPOL.—A Grand San-
 itary Dinner and Ball will be given at Sebas-
 topol on St. Valentine's Day. The Com-
 mittee will have another meeting on Saturday
 next to perfect business.

M. Babinet, of the French Institute,
 has discovered the means of cooking without
 fire. He has just laid before the academy
 the result of his experiments. His recipe is:
 Place the food in a black pot, covered with
 sundry glass lenses, and stand it in the sun.
 The water in the pot soon boils, and the food
 is said to be of better flavor than if cooked
 in the ordinary manner.

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of our troops. About twelve at night Gen. Whitney surrendered himself and command, to Terry, unconditionally, as prisoners of war, to the number of over eighteen hundred—the remainder of his force being killed or wounded. Our loss is estimated at seven or eight hundred killed and wounded, besides the naval loss, which was slight, not over one hundred of them were killed or wounded, and not a ship or transport lost. Col. Curtiss is severely, if not mortally, wounded. Col. Bell died of his wounds on Monday morning. Col. Moore and Lieut. Col. Lyman were killed. Col. Packer and Lieut. Col. Baddle were wounded. On Monday morning the magazine of Fisher exploded, killing and wounding two or three hundred. After the capture of the fort all the troops were withdrawn except one brigade left in charge of the works. Gen. Hoke's division, reported five thousand strong was at Wilmington; a portion of it was thrown into the fort not long before the assault, and while it was going on a demonstration was made by Hoke against our defensive line, but it was found too strong for anything more than a skirmish. About eleven o'clock on Monday morning, a heavy cloud of smoke was observed over Fort Smith, on the south side of New Inlet. The naval officer commanding that station reported that the enemy had fired their barracks and evacuated that fort.

The armament of Fort Fisher was seventy-two guns; some of large calibre, rifled, and one Armstrong gun. The troops in the Fort had rations for sixteen days. Their loss in killed and wounded was from four to five hundred. Gen. Whiting had three wounds in the thigh. Col. Lamb also, who had gone into the fight with reinforcements to relieve Whiting on Sunday, is wounded. Monday everything was as quiet as a Sabbath day. The dead were being buried, and the wounded placed in transports and the field hospitals.

Sherman has renewed the movement of his force from Savannah. Last week the Fifteenth and Seventeenth Corps went in transports to Beaufort. On Saturday the Fourth and Seventh Corps, under Major-General Blair, crossed Port Royal ferry, and with a portion of Foster's command, moved on Pocatoligo. General Howard, commanding that wing of the army, reported on Sun-

Sanitary Fair and Ball!

There will be a Sanitary Fair and Ball in
SEBASTOPOL,
 ON
ST. VALENTINE'S DAY.

An invitation is extended to all, and the people of Santa Rosa are specially invited to assist us in our efforts to aid the
Sick and Wounded Soldiers.

The Fair will begin at 10 o'clock, A. M. Dinner will be served at 2 o'clock, P. M. Admission, 50 cents.
 Tickets for the Ball can be had of the Committee at \$2.50, Supper included.

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Another Glorious Victory! Sebastopol Triumphant!

The Sanitary Fair and Ball at this place
 were the most magnificent affairs of the
 season. Notwithstanding the inclemency
 of the weather, and the bad condition of the
 roads, the Fair was attended by a large and
 enthusiastic crowd,—which manifested a
 zeal seldom seen in this place. All the
 scenes attending such Fairs at other places
 were here—not the least of which was the
 old fashion "grab bag."

About three o'clock, the crowd sat down
 to the most magnificent dinner ever given
 in Sebastopol. The day, which was one of
 the most rainy of the winter, passed away
 as "merry as a marriage bell." The rain
 began early in the morning, and continued
 until night, making the roads slippery,
 thereby preventing many from coming out,
 so that no considerable number of persons
 were present from abroad.

Most all of the articles were contributed.
 The names of the contributors together with
 the articles, would make too long a commu-
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 thing found among a farming community
 was here in profusion. To this Fair all
 without regard to political tenets were invit-
 ed; and if any one was "left out in the cold,"
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any particular name which deserves any higher encomium than another—yet without any disparagement of the efforts of any—we think that Miss Sopronia Clyman, Presi- dent of the Ladies' Soldier's Aid Society, of this place, is deserving the highest praise for the indefatigable manner in which she labored in the cause; for the pure patriotism manifested throughout the Fair, and for her "unswerving fidelity to the cause of our suffering soldiers; but for her the fair would have been without much of its interest. Let her example be followed in every vil- lage, town and city throughout this State, and the Sanitary car will roll triumphantly onward!

The Ball was everything that a ball could be. Some one hundred tickets were sold at the door. So far as heard from, the *net proceeds of the Fair and Ball are eight hundred and twenty dollars*, and perhaps more.

Now when you take into consideration the unpropitiousness of the weather, the condi- tion of the roads, and all the adverse circum- stances under which we labored, would you think it egotistical in us, if we claim the Banner? Who has a better claim than we?

ROMEO.

SEBASTOPOL., Feb. 20th, 1864.

SOUTHERN MEN PRIVATELY TAKING THE OATH.—The New York Evening Post of Jan- uary 12th says that the Southern men in that city are constantly making application for permission to take the oath of allegiance and a considerable proportion of them desire to perform this act privately, and to have

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carriages, which were polished like steel, and somely trimmed. Following these the carriages containing the Orator, President of the Day, Reader, Committee of Arrangements, City Trustees, members of the invited guests. Following these the Swiss Club, numbering nearly one hundred men, each carrying a flag, representing different Cantons of Switzerland. This part of the procession was very attractive, elicited much praise from all. Next followed the Car of Liberty, drawn by six white horses, containing the Goddess of Liberty, and representatives of the Union, represented by young men. Then followed the butchers, on horseback, and ditto on horseback. Altogether the procession was a good one, and quite creditable to the city and the occasion.

THE LINE OF MARCH

Down Main street to Third, countermarch-
Third to Main; up Main to Washington;
Washington to Liberty; down Liberty to
Sixth; down Sixth to D; down D to Fourth;
Fourth to Kentucky; up Kentucky to the
Theatre, where

THE EXERCISES

The spacious building was densely crowded by an intelligent and orderly assembly of ladies and gentlemen. The Theatre was somely decorated, and the stage set for the officers of the day. A very pretty entertainment transpired at the opening of the exercises. The young ladies representing the Goddess of the Union, were ranged behind the stage, when the scene was drawn, presenting a bevy of beauty. This was greeted with a loud applause. The President of the day, Mr. B. F. Tuttle, introduced Rev. B. F. the Chaplain, who offered up a fervent prayer. The Petaluma Grange Club, under the leadership of Prof. Schlemmel, then sang "America." The Declaration of Independence was read in a clear and audible manner by J. P. Turner.

THE ORATION

Geo. Turner, of San Francisco, Orator of the day, was next introduced, who delivered one of the finest and most acceptable orations ever heard in this city. Our space will admit of no allusion to some of the leading points treated. The orator introduced his remarks by speaking of the fine display made by the military, firemen, the car of state with its young misses, the cavalcade, etc. He said if one could, like the angel of the Apocalypse, be standing in the sun, on this glorious

alongside, affording ample room for dancing. The Two Rock Brass Band added much to the enjoyment of the day. Disembarking at the grounds—a lovely little cove—plethoric baskets were emptied, and with keen appetites lunch was discussed. Re-embarking, the happy party proceeded on the home voyage. During the return trip the oration was delivered by Judge Woodworth, and Messrs. McGarry and King addressed the company. Dancing was kept up till the steamer reached her wharf, and the excursionists went home completely satisfied with the excursion. A grand ball in the evening, by Mr. Clark, of the Continental Hotel, was well attended. Salutes were fired morning and evening, while a very creditable display of fireworks was made at night. Considering the circumstances, Tomales feels proud of her celebration.

AT SEBASTOPOL.

A most successful and enthusiastic celebration was had. The number present is variously estimated at from two thousand to twenty-five hundred. The whole affair was admirably managed by Evergreen Lodge, No. 375, I. O. G. T., and the officers and members are deserving the greatest credit therefor. A procession was formed, and headed by the Central Brass Band, marched to the picnic grounds, about a quarter of a mile distant from town. Here music was had, the Declaration of Independence read by Thos. Spencer, Esq., of Santa Rosa, and Rev. J. L. Trefren, of Napa, pronounced a most eloquent oration. After the exercises a grand barbecue dinner was served, that was partaken of by the vast assemblage. In the evening a fine ball was had at the Pioneer Hotel, and the young people kept up the revelry until a late, or rather an early hour. The most perfect harmony prevailed, and nothing happened to mar the pleasure of the day.

AT SONOMA.

We understand, there was a picnic, and a pleasant celebration, the particulars of which we were unable to learn.

SINGULAR AND SUDDEN DEATH.—On the Fourth of July a man named G. B. Davis, dropped dead from his wagon, near the city limits, on the Santa Rosa road. It appears that the unfortunate man was travelling with his father, Dr. H. L. Davis, they being accompanied by the mother and another son. The deceased had been in Petaluma and was on his way up country. He had not complained of feeling at all ill, but on the contrary, only a few days before his

RETURNED.—G. W. returned from a visit the trip proved one of satisfaction.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS.—W. Anderson, Principal, will open on Monday.

A SPRINKLE of rain Thursday morning.

San Francisco

SAN FR.

WHEAT.—The market is quiet. We quote superfine at \$7.12 1/2 @ 7.25 in sack.

WHEAT.—The demand is quiet. Offerings free. Quota \$4.40 @ 100 lbs.

BARLEY.—Has been changed rates. Quota fair to choice @ 100 lbs.

OATS.—The demand is steady. We quote at \$1.85 @ 2 @ 100 lbs.

HAY.—The receipt is quiet. We quote choice wheat at \$15 @ 100 lbs.

POTATOES.—Will show a decline. Quota 100 lbs.

WOOL.—Market is quiet. Receipts light. We quote grades at 28 @ 30.

DOMESTIC PRODUCE.—Butter have been light. Demand at quotations: unchanged rates. We

BUTTER.—California 77 1/2 @ 30c; Eastern 77 1/2 @ 30c.

CHEESE.—California 17c @ 10c.

EGGS.—California, 2 1/2 @ 15c.

CURED MEATS.—15c; Oregon do, 14 1/2 @ 15c.

FRESH MEATS.—Change. Slaughtered beef, first quality, 8c; third do, 4 1/2 @ 5c; Veal Lamb, 6 @ 7c; Pork, 7c.

POULTRY AND GAME.—Supplied with all kinds. Chickens, \$7.00; Tame Ducks, per pair. Turkeys,

Petaluma

Wheat.....
Corn.....
Barley.....
Oats.....
Hay, @ ton.....
Flour.....
Corn Meal.....
Old Potatoes.....
New Potatoes.....
Onions, @ lb.....

Democratic Economy.

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s.—It is the into exercise t Wednesday. ith the per- Never since es presented so important a full set of eans. A ie Democracy of the flame- astfulness of every Repub- e his vote for rty. And work

Gov. Haight lays great stress upon the fact that his administration has caused a reduction in the amount of State taxation. When it is considered how extravagant that administration has been, it would seem strange if the expenses had not increased, instead of decreased, during his term of four years. George Oulton, who was Controller of State from 1863 to 1867, compiles facts and figures from the reports of that office, and compares the administrations of Low and Haight:

EXPENDITURES.

Expenditures for executive, judicial, legislative and miscellaneous purposes:
First year of Low's administration. \$574,118 96
First year Haight's administration. 1,146,071 44
Balance against Haight's. \$471,952 48
Difference in expenditures under the
Miscellaneous head alone. 418,961 94
Last year of Low's administration. 500,932 18
Last year Haight's administration. 1,138,307 27

Balance against Haight's. \$492,021 91
The difference in expenditure under
Miscellaneous heading. 480,071 42

FOR EXPENSES OF STATE PRISON.

First year of Low's administration (exclusive of land for site). \$60,306 75
First year Haight's administration. 126,292 75

Balance against Haight's. \$65,986 00
Last year of Low's administration. 50,000 00
Last year Haight's admin- istration. 119,336 70
Deficit. 58,110 00-176,746 70

Balance against Haight's. \$126,746 70

GENERAL FUND.

Warrants drawn on General Fund, last year Low's administration. \$537,857 00
Warrants drawn on General Fund, last year Haight's administration. 1,039,699 00

Balance against Haight's. \$421,842 00

Amending the Constitution.

At the coming election the following Amendment to the State Constitution will be submitted to the people for adoption or rejection as they may decide. It has been approved by two successive Legislatures, and is now to be finally acted on by the voters of the State. If there are more "ayes" than "noes" it will become a part of the fundamental law, otherwise, not:

The Legislature shall have no power to make an appropriation of money for any purpose whatever for a longer period than two years.

This, as we understand it, does not mean that the Legislature may not make a law levying a certain amount of tax for more than two years, but that no law shall be enacted granting an annuity to individuals or corporations, or making an annual appropriation of any kind for a longer period than two years. It will, we believe, receive the approbation of the people.

Another matter to be decided by the people at the coming election is the

DEAR ARRGCS.—I told you sometime ago to pick a quarrel with the Democrat, or somebody else, and give us the benefit of it, and I see that you have done so. You and the *Crescent* seem to be giving each other tit for tat. That's right; talk back—I suppose it is part of the campaign. When that is over you can "kiss and make up," like

BRICK POMEROY

and the "General." Brick don't seem to have made a very good impression on the people of this coast thus far. I wonder why they call him "Brick?" Is his face very red? Or is he what is called a "brick top?" I must see him if I have to go to the

GRAND BARSECTE.

which the Democrats are going to hold here this week—he's to be the trump card. We had Republican speaking one evening last week. I did not go, neither did Tom; so I can tell you nothing about it. Tom is not much of a politician, and prefers home with his mere claim and paper. One evening since then we had a Democratic meeting, and such a noise as they made trying to get a crowd together. They fired off anvils, (this town does not boast of a cannon,) rang the dinner bells, and woke a little four year old who wanted to know if it was Fourth of July. I guess they got a crowd, for I heard them stamping long after I had retired.

EARTHQUAKE.

We had quite a hard shock of an earthquake here on Friday evening last, at 6 1/2 o'clock.

A few nights since, a hired man of M. Edwards, sleeping in his stable, was awakened by some person striking a match. He saw a suspicious looking character viewing the horses and saddles, and while the horses were rearing and snorting at the approach of a stranger, he slipped out and called help. A posse of men bore down on him with lanterns and revolvers, and he surrendered. After being examined by Justice Berry, he was sent to Santa Rosa for trial. It was thought he might be one of the late

STAGE ROBBERS.

He had two companions around town somewhere, and they soon left for parts unknown.

IMPROVEMENTS.

This town is still improving. Dr. H. J. Smith has recently had a handsome cottage erected. Mr. M. Edwards, one of our prominent merchants, has a fine residence near completion.

THE CAMP-MEETING

will be held over another week. The attendance was very large on last Sunday, and it is hoped much good has been done. There was also a marriage ceremony performed at the ground. The bride looked lovely in white, and the groom looked as happy, well, as a big sun-flower. May they live

turn healthy. It is not warranted to sustain when the lungs are half cured to make men live forever, nor to reach a blissful paradise, to which he be but a side show; but the propriety pay \$750 reward for a cure of catarrh cannot cure. Sold by druggists, or sent to Dr. R. V. Pierce, 133 Sence Buffalo, N. Y., and receive it by mail.

It is said that if a puff of air were blown into the veins of an animal, death would instantly follow, because it would stop the blood. The blood makes the circuit of the human body every minute, and whenever this circulation is or any of its channels are clogged by it, which ought to be carried off, disease, fever, or a disorder of liver or kidneys, ulcer, dyspepsia. To get at and remove the difficulty, use the old reliable blood purifier, Dr. Walker's Vinegar Bitters.

BORN.

NELSON—At Olema, August 20, to Mrs. John Nelson, a daughter.

MARRIED.

CASEPOLT-SWIFT—In San Francisco 23, by Rev. H. A. Sawtelle, J. D. of San Francisco, and Jane Eliza Swift

DIED.

REEZ—In this city, August 27, Ja aged 24 years.

GERAUGHTY—In this city, August 27, a native of County Mayo aged 45 years.

ANNUAL MEETING

...OF THE...

Sonoma and Marin Mutual Association.

THE MEMBERS OF THE SONOMA and Marin Mutual Beneficial Association hereby notified that the annual meeting of the Association will be held on TUESDAY of October, 1871, at 7 o'clock P. M. at the Petaluma Engine Company, Washington street, Petaluma, for the purpose of electing a Board of twelve Directors for the ensuing year, and for such other business as may properly come before it. At the above meeting the following amendments to the By-Laws, having (in accordance with section 39 of said By-Laws) been adopted by the Board of Directors, are submitted for the decision of the members of the Association:

1. To add to section 22, causing it to read as follows: the words in italics being proposed addition.

SECTION 22—AMOUNT OF BENEFIT.

Upon the death of any member of the Association who has paid all the assessments levied against him, the persons designated as his or her nominee, entitled to receive, collectively, from the Association the sum of one gold or silver coin for each member's contribution at the time of death and 1/2 main a member for ninety days (which time the amount of the benefit terminates and become payable).

2. To cause section 23 to read as follows:

SECTION 23—NOMINATE, HOW & WHEN.

Upon the receipt and adoption by the Executive Committee's report of the fact of the death of a member, the Association add the amount of benefit payable to the nominee, a draft shall be drawn on the Treasurer in favor of the person entitled, as in section 22.

3. To amend section 23 by striking out the words or figures "22."

4. To cause Article IV, section 1

State & county election.

OFFICIAL ELECTION RETURNS OF SONOMA COUNTY.

CANDIDATES.

CANDIDATES.																		TOTAL VOTE.....		MAJORITY.....	
FOR GOVERNOR.																		1,881	631		
Newton Booth.....	342	159	98	24	120	46	62	19	50	254	83	297	33	28	46	32	2,512	631			
H. H. Haight.....	193	294	88	104	84	158	88	73	48	526	144	329	45	90	137	28	2,512	631			
LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR.																		1,851	677		
Romualdo Pacheco.....	338	158	96	94	121	45	61	19	50	253	83	289	33	26	45	32	2,528	677			
E. J. Lewis.....	298	89	106	84	135	89	74	83	48	526	141	335	45	90	139	28	2,528	677			
SECRETARY OF STATE.																		1,853	654		
Drury Melone.....	335	159	96	94	122	43	62	19	50	252	82	287	34	28	46	32	2,507	654			
W. B. C. Brown.....	196	297	86	106	84	155	90	73	48	527	142	330	44	90	138	28	2,507	654			
CONTROLLER.																		1,974	635		
James J. Green.....	341	164	102	94	123	45	62	19	51	254	82	289	34	28	46	32	2,509	635			
Robert De Witt.....	199	294	83	100	84	153	89	73	47	527	142	333	44	90	138	28	2,509	635			
TREASURER.																		1,857	665		
Ferdinand Baehr.....	337	159	97	94	123	44	62	19	50	255	82	286	34	28	46	32	2,522	665			
Antonio F. Coroneel.....	197	298	88	105	84	155	90	73	48	527	142	333	44	89	138	28	2,522	665			
SURVEYOR-GENERAL.																		1,856	671		
Robert Gardner.....	337	158	96	94	123	44	62	19	50	255	82	287	34	28	46	32	2,527	671			
J. W. Bost.....	198	299	88	106	84	155	90	73	48	529	142	332	44	90	138	28	2,527	671			
ATTORNEY-GENERAL.																		1,852	679		
John L. Love.....	337	158	96	93	123	44	61	19	50	250	82	280	34	28	47	32	2,531	679			
Jo Hamilton.....	199	296	84	106	84	155	90	74	48	533	142	333	44	90	137	28	2,531	679			
CLERK OF SUPREME COURT.																		1,860	664		
Grant I. Taggart.....	337	159	96	94	123	44	62	19	49	256	83	289	34	28	46	32	2,524	664			
Thomas Laspeyre.....	198	298	88	106	84	155	90	73	48	527	141	333	44	90	138	28	2,524	664			
STATE PRINTER.																		1,849	668		
Thomas A. Springer.....	329	159	91	94	123	44	62	19	51	256	82	290	34	28	46	32	2,517	668			
John T. Barry.....	198	300	88	111	84	155	89	73	47	525	141	324	44	90	138	28	2,517	668			
HARBOR COMMISSIONER.																		1,912	546		
John A. McGlynn.....	371	173	112	96	118	40	62	20	50	251	83	285	34	28	47	32	2,458	546			
John Rosenfeld.....	260	74	80	82	158	94	73	82	48	527	141	333	44	90	137	28	2,458	546			
CONGRESSMAN (2d District).																		1,889	589		
John M. Coghlan.....	342	170	114	93	124	45	60	19	46	256	80	286	33	26	43	32	2,478	589			
George Pearce.....	289	72	84	85	153	89	75	83	52	524	114	326	45	91	141	28	2,478	589			
STATE SENATOR.																		1,866	626		
J. C. Hoag.....	371	162	111	90	122	46	62	19	48	258	80	287	32	28	45	32	2,492	626			
B. F. Tuttle.....	295	80	88	85	155	87	73	83	47	523	144	327	46	89	139	28	2,492	626			
ASSEMBLYMEN.																		1,818	491		
T. H. Merry.....	321	156	96	94	123	41	62	19	47	258	81	276	34	28	43	32	2,432	491			
T. B. Hood.....	321	159	95	91	124	43	63	19	48	271	80	288	34	28	50	32	2,432	491			
John Orr.....	354	170	110	88	133	57	61	22	61	302	81	292	35	28	46	27	2,432	491			
E. C. Hinshaw.....	296	88	98	93	155	93	75	83	48	523	144	328	44	89	134	27	2,436	491			
Wm. Caldwell.....	294	88	105	84	151	92	72	83	49	495	142	327	44	79	125	26	2,357	491			
B. B. Munday.....	266	78	92	84	144	73	73	80	38	464	142	333	48	89	136	26	2,357	491			
SHERIFF.																		1,921	491		
L. W. Miller.....	311	152	111	87	119	81	64	22	61	298	82	298	26	28	44	33	2,412	491			
Edward Latapie.....	321	94	83	86	150	52	71	73	36	474	140	324	50	87	138	26	2,412	491			
COUNTY CLERK.																		1,825	714		
Thomas H. Bryant.....	311	158	103	93	121	43	62	19	48	249	80	280	33	25	44	32	2,519	714			
W. R. Morris.....	298	88	98	84	154	90	73	82	50	528	144	344	45	92	138	28	2,519	714			
RECORDER.																		1,772	808		
R. D. Morgan.....	311	156	95	92	116	32	60	18	47	244	80	287	34	26	45	30	2,580	808			
W. H. Bond.....	330	90	107	86	159	100	75	84	51	520	141	335	41	89	139	30	2,580	808			
TREASURER.																		1,819	708		
Clemens Kessing.....	317	158	94	94	121	40	61	19	48	288	80	287	33	27	45	32	2,527	708			
G. T. Pauli.....	308	80	108	84	155	90	73	83	49	481	140	336	44	89	139	28	2,527	708			
DISTRICT ATTORNEY.																		1,856	576		
Wm. B. Haskell.....	320	160	100	92	124	44	62	17	50	261	80	288	34	28	47	31	2,432	576			
Barclay Henley.....	291	87	98	86	145	84	70	85	48	491	141	322	44	80	136	29	2,432	576			
ASSESSOR.																		1,882	596		
Calvin Lindsay.....	325	159	97	94	126	45	62	18	50	267	92	294	31	28	46	32	2,478	596			
Crockett Gaines.....	301	88	105	84	147	89	73	83	48	510	125	328	44	88	138	28	2,478	596			
Supt PUBLIC SCHOOLS.																		1,962	377		
C. E. Hutton.....	325	159	96	94	127	40	62	19	48	298	88	329	43	34	48	39	2,339	377			
G. W. Jones.....	304	86	105	84	141	93	72	83	49	443	132	285	35	76	131	20	2,339	377			
PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.																		1,851	676		
J. W. Wilber.....	320	157	90	93	123	45	62	19	50	275	80	282	33	27	43	32	2,507	676			
L. B. Hall.....	301	88	106	84	153	88	73	83	48	515	142	332	45	86	136	28	2,507	676			
ROAD COMMISSIONER.																		1,913	510		
E. L. Brooks.....	329	160	98	95	125	44	66	20	50	252	80	286	34	28	45	41	2,423	510			
Robertson Head.....	291	87	100	78	152	47	67	82	48	523	137	328	43	84	139	17	2,423	510			
SURVEYOR.																		1,840	676		
E. C. Thomas.....	323	156	90	92	123	44	61	19	49	258	82	275	34	28	46	32	2,516	676			
J. B. Woods.....	297	90	97	84	153	89	74	83	49	518	140	344	44	89	138	28	2,516	676			
CORONER.																		1,920	618		
J. Snow.....	319	158	94	93	124	44	62	19	50	257	69	287	31	28	45	32	2,468	618			
Charles Humphries.....	297	83	99	84	152	72	72	81	41	508	137	335	44	89	137	28	2,468	618			
SUPERVISORS.																		686	7		
George D. Green (First District).....	320	159	90														686	7			
J. M. Palmer (First District).....	290	88	96														522				
P. B. Hewlett (Second District).....								19	50		78	268	31	28	45		522				
D. D. Phillips (Second District).....								89	48		137	356	43	90	139		896	374			

Gauge Railroad.

idea of being six hours on a to San Francisco and in, twenty-two miles of the round trip can be, has not only awakened ma and vicinity to the im- planted road but of res- osed line. The towns of are also deeply interest- k in the proposed road. ut twenty-two miles, and d can be built and stocked the cost of the ordinary of running and repairs is oportion to the first cost. of Petaluma are of one ject. We need the road he enterprise with a will. matter it seems that San casible terminus for the Petaluma to that point one hour, and from there forty minutes, putting us d forty minutes of San would be of greater bene- e country along its route on the coast. Along its try would soon be dotted orning beautiful grounds; would be in demand at acre. There is no ques- ing patronage; the great icant to decide that in its BETTER TIME.

CHINESE.—A succession of me before our courts late- one Ah Son made a com- h Yow, for robbing him ce, on the alley back of large could not be sus- vas discharged. Marshal to investigate the prem- e, and found to his sur- 'panel den," where the ooms could be removed. ecessful. It was gotten ving principles, with all ents. Ah Son then made Keur, Ah Kog, Get Yow, house of ill-fame. The a jury that failed to see the defendants were dis- lusion of his trial anothe- gained four Chinamen for obbing a trunk in the same l Chinese swearing was es were all acquitted. We e for these words:

are vain, since is peculiar."

—We call attention to- ent of the Phoenix and e Companies, which have

Through the County.

EDITORIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

A traveler leaving the thrifty town of Tomales should endeavor to go out by the west gate about 11 o'clock A. M., and drive to the farm of N. L. Allen for dinner. Here he will, like us, enjoy the hospitalities of the Captain, who is ever fond of seeing his friends. He enjoys a national reputation for never turning a person away empty, and it seems a pleasure for him to exhibit his stock and lands. To the northwest of his place, and about six miles distant, is situated the

TOWN OF BLOOMFIELD.

At this place the people are greatly exhilarated over the prospect of a railroad. The first question asked of a stranger here is, "Have you seen anything of a railroad coming out this way?" If you answer in the affirmative you may be sure of good treatment as long as you remain. The day we were there a blind peddler sold his entire stock of goods by the affirmative answer of this question. Jestings aside, however, Bloomfield needs the road. The best farming land in the country is here, and as they have to help pay for the building of the main road, it is no more than fair that the other sections should contribute to the building of this branch. We hope, therefore, and believe that the work will be rapidly completed. It will infuse new life into the town, stimulate trade, accommodate farmers, and populate the county. The town of Bloomfield, we should judge, has a population of about five hundred, has two churches—Methodist and Presbyterian—and a large public school house, with a primary and grammar department; two hotels, a dry goods store, two grocery stores, several blacksmith and carriage shops, two livery stables, a steam flour mill, a sawery, a lodge of Good Templars and three or four saloons. Though not the most driving place we have ever visited, yet it is a good moral community, is blessed with a good climate, and with the help of a railroad will become one of the most thrifty towns in the county. O. M. Lafeyvre, of the Big Valley House, looks well to the comfort of his guests, and is ably assisted by his clerk, Jack Herrick. To both of these gentlemen, to C. R. Arthur, Wm. Mills (whose maiden name is "Bill") and others, we are indebted for favors shown us on our visit.

SEBASTOPOL.

About eight miles westward from Bloomfield is situated the village of Sebastopol. It has several first-class stores; among the rest John Dougherty and Messrs. Gitz & Co., who do a thriving business. Two hotels suffice to "eat and sleep" the traveling public. W. H. Wilson, of the Exchange and Joaquin Carillo, of the Pioneer, are hosts who understand well their business. Two churches, a Masonic Lodge, with the usual complement of blacksmith and harness shops, saloons, etc., comprises the town of Sebastopol.

Returning to Bloomfield we started on Friday last for a trip up the Coast. We fortunately fell in with J. C. Hoag, of Bloomfield, who joined teams with us, and bright and early we started on our trip. Passing from Bloomfield, and about two miles westward, we came to

VALLEY FORD.

Which at present amounts merely to a first-

COMPLIMENTARY CONCERT.—The complimentary concert tendered by the musical talent of this city to Miss Tibbets will take place on or about the approaching holidays. The Petaluma Harmonie have tendered their services, as also the Petaluma Band. We have no doubt that it will be a most creditable affair.

ENLARGEMENT.—During the week past, Phil Hip Cowen, of the Petaluma Book Store, has enlarged his premises one-half. His store is now one of the finest in town, and his stock large and complete. His specialties are school and miscellaneous books, stationery and crockery, but he keeps almost everything.

NEW JEWELRY STORE.—Our friend, Chas. E. Polk, has opened a jewelry establishment on Main street, in the book store of T. Cowen. He will have a good supply of watches and jewelry, will manufacture and do repairing. He can be relied upon for good work.

CHANGE OF FIRM.—The firm of Haskell & Campbell, of this city, has been dissolved, Mr. Campbell remaining at the old stand. Mr. B. Haskell retires from business, while his son, Wm. B. Haskell, will open in Bowles' Block, in the store formerly occupied by S. Levy.

AMERICAN HOTEL BAR.—Mr. John Ward has leased the bar and billiard room of the American hotel, and his friends will always find him at his post. The hotel part of the building is not yet leased, but we hope that within a few days it will be thrown open to the public.

SKATING RINK.—Mr. Perry informs us that on this (Saturday) evening he will open his Skating Rink for the Winter season. A band of music will be present, and after an hour or two of skating, musical favors will be rendered in by those so inclined.

REAL ESTATE AGENT.—We would call attention to the card of John K. Chambers, real estate agent, in this issue. We can recommend the gentleman as being a reliable and wide-awake agent, and all business entrusted to him will be attended to.

NEW FIRM.—Mr. Ralph Brown has become associated with Mr. Lamoreaux, in the new grocery store opposite Phoenix Block. The firm of Lamoreaux & Brown will undoubtedly secure a good portion of the trade, as both men are well known and popular.

RAINFALL.—According to Prof. Lippitt's rain-gauge, the rain-fall for October (to the 24th) was .69 inches. During October of last year the rain-fall was .22 inches.

GONE FROM US.—Our time-honored friend, Amasa Morse, has taken up his abode at Cloverdale. We lose one of our best citizens.

desires us to say that fines will not be imposed for keeping books which are not charged. Will any of them be returned that are in the homes of our citizens? There are at least fifty missing.

GARNERED SHEAVES.—This is the title of a new book by the well-known and favorite author Albert D. Richardson. The publication of this work which was contemplated by Mr. Richardson while living, and for which he had prepared ample material of a most interesting character, was postponed in consequence of his death. "Garnered Sheaves" is made up of choice selections from the miscellaneous papers of the author, introducing a great variety of interesting subjects, and giving the results of his own observations, experiences and travel. The articles abound in stories of personal adventure and travel, biographical sketches of explorers, inventors, statesmen and frontiersmen, anecdotes of hunters, trappers, pioneers, etc. This work is illustrated with numerous fine engravings, and contains a biographical sketch and elegant steel portrait of the author. "Garnered Sheaves" is sold only by subscription. D. O. Philbrick is the agent for Sonoma county, and is now canvassing for the work. Mr. Philbrick is also taking orders for the "Pictorial Family Register," which ought to find a place on the center-table of every household.

SUICIDE OF A CHINAMAN.—We learn that a Chinaman, who had been employed on the farm of Pet. Hinshaw, near Bloomfield, committed suicide a few days ago by splitting his head open with an axe. He first endeavored to cut his throat with a razor, but failing in this, he took recourse to the axe. He was found Monday evening shortly after he committed the deed, but it was concluded to let the body remain until a Coroner's Jury could be summoned. The next morning, when the people went for the body it had disappeared. Since then it has proved that the Chinaman was not dead, as supposed, but in the night had got up and wandered down in a potato field, where he died. The body of the defunct Celestial was still lying in the field on Thursday, when our informant left.

ACCIDENT.—Quite a severe accident happened at the Race Track, on Thursday afternoon last. It appears a young girl named Catherine Kane, on horseback, was racing around the track with a young man named Connelly, and as they come down the track the horse the girl was riding ran through the gate at the Grand Stand, throwing

Collected.....	3,193	91
Delinquent.....	537	48
Cloverdale Township.....	4,042	70
Collected.....	3,176	81
Delinquent.....	865	89
Bodega Township.....	9,572	07
Collected.....	7,685	54
Delinquent.....	1,886	53
Salt Point Township.....	5,821	08
Collected.....	4,658	36
Delinquent.....	1,162	72
Ocean Township.....	3,340	36
Collected.....	2,072	87
Delinquent.....	267	49

Whole amount of tax.....	\$191,14	13
Whole amount of tax collected.....	174,521	13
Whole amount of tax delinquent.....	\$16,623	00

It will be seen by an examination of the foregoing figures that only about 9 per cent. of the taxes listed remain delinquent, and we are assured that when a final settlement is had, not more than 4 per cent. will be delinquent. Ninety per cent. of the poll tax has been collected. The townships rank in wealth, as shown by the assessment roll, as follows: Petaluma, first; Santa Rosa, second; Analy, third; Mendocino, fourth; Vallecito, fifth; Sonoma, sixth; Russian River, seventh; Bodega, eighth; Salt Point, ninth; Cloverdale, tenth; Washington, eleventh; Ocean, twelfth. The citizens of Sonoma county may well feel proud of such a showing, for we venture to say that no county in the State has responded more fully to the call of the Tax Collector. The per cent. is less than in any other county in the State.

Another Stage Robber Arrested.

On Wednesday night last, about midnight, Marshal Knowles arrested a man named Geo. Maxwell, alias "Black George," for complicity in the stage robbery between Sebastopol and Freestone, on the night of the 12th of October last. It will be remembered that the stage was stopped by a rope being stretched across the road, and the express box taken from it. We are not justified in publishing the full particulars of the case, as there are others yet at large who were engaged in the affair. It is positive, however, that this man Maxwell was one of the crowd and a leader. He is also supposed to be implicated with the crowd who have been stopping people lately near Sebastopol. Surely the coils of justice are winding about these vagabonds, and we trust that the full penalty of the law will be meted out to them.

Success.—Haskell's success in business for the last fourteen years is owing to his keeping the best quality of goods and selling them at satisfactory prices. May his "mantle" fall upon his son, William B. Haskell, who in his

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THE CITY GOVERNMENT.

On Monday next the city officers elect will be sworn in, when the administration of our city government will be vested as follows:

City Trustees—H. B. Harbrouck, Thos. Rochford, A. McGuire, and C. Puchlman. The vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Alex. McCune remains to be filled.

Marshal—James H. Knowles.

Recorder—D. D. Carder.

Treasurer—Andrew Henry.

Assessor—Chas. Humphries.

Street Commissioner—Wm. Richardson.

School Directors—F. T. Maynard, E. W. Shattuck, Jas. Singley, E. Deumar, and L. G. Nay.

SEBASTOPOL.—At a meeting of Republican voters held at Sebastopol April 13th, in pursuance of a call for primary meetings made by the County Central Committee, Alex. Willy was made President, and G. W. Frick, Secretary. On motion a resolution was adopted endorsing the present Administration and expressive of the belief that the interests of the whole country demand its continuance for another four years under the wise and patriotic leadership of U. S. Grant. The following persons were chosen delegates and alternates, viz.: Alex. Willy, G. W. Frick, L. Harbrouck and Henry Marshall; alternates: J. H. Fix, J. Fix, J. Gregson and Levi Johnson.

AN ELEGANT PRESENT.—On Sunday last City Marshal Knowles, (who by the way, can be City Marshal as long as he wants it) was presented by Peter Donahue, Esq., with an elegant gold hunting case watch, valued at \$400. The occasion of the presentation was a very pleasant one. Many friends of both parties were present, and after the usual ceremonies were gone through with, some sparkling champagne was broken, and appropriate toasts drank. The watch is of a very fine movement, and is encased in heavy gold hunting cases. Inscribed on the inside case is the following: "From P. Donahue, to his friend James H. Knowles, April 10th, 1872."

DEATH OF A SCHOOL TEACHER.—On Monday night last, J. D. Lane died at Sebastopol, where he had been teaching school. Mr. Lane had been connected with the public schools of Sonoma county for several years, and was a young man of much promise in his profession. He had made many friends in this city, who received the news of his death with great surprise and regret. The funeral took place

EXCURSION TO PETALUMA.—We understand that two San Francisco military companies will soon make an excursion to this city. Two gentlemen from San Francisco were here making arrangements last Wednesday. We hope these military gentlemen will visit us, but shall insist that they leave the Golden City Hoodlums behind them.

THE WILTON TROUPE.—We call attention to the advertisement of the above named troupe in this issue. The Company will open in this city on Saturday evening, the 27th inst. The troupe will also visit different points in the county as follows: Healdsburg, 19th and 20th; Sebastopol, 25th and 26th.

ALMOST A FIRE.—The residence of J. Looney narrowly escaped being burned Thursday evening, by some children playing with matches. The window curtains were set on fire, and it was only through the timely exertions of the neighbors that the building was saved.

I. O. O. F. EXCURSION.—With favorable weather, the Odd Fellows' Excursion and Picnic to Cloverdale, next Friday, will undoubtedly be one of the jolliest affairs of the kind that has yet transpired. The attendance will probably be very large.

RAIN FALL.—The rain-fall in this city, according to Prof. Lippitt's Smithsonian gauge, up to March 9th, was 29.84 inches. On April 13th the fall was .23 of an inch; 15th, .27; 17th, .33; 18th, .19; 19th, .06. Total for the season, 30.77 inches.

RE-PAINTED.—The new building of I. A. Wickersham & Co., is receiving a new coat of paint. The large plate-glass windows which were broken by the fire have all been replaced, and the building is fast resuming its original beauty.

FESTIVAL AT TOMALES.—The ladies of the Presbyterian Church, Tomales, contemplate giving a grand festival on Thursday evening, May 16th. An agreeable party and a financial success is almost certain.

AMERICAN STABLE.—Mr. C. Vaughn has reopened the American Livery Stable. Mr. Vaughn understands horses; those wishing good care taken of their animals, can do no better than by trusting them with him.

"DOXY VARDEN."—Do our readers under-

of His Own Mouth.

he peculiar features of this that the present Democratic for the Chief Magistracy has gain borne testimony to the ability and fitness of his competitors of his paper and his shines up to a year ago about establishing the patriotism, and honesty of Gen. Grant success of his Administration, within a few months notated the one-term principle, several occasions indicated or Grant's re-election. This is before the insane desire of the latter's successor had taken of the old Chippaguanian, but before all the charges of nepotism, visits to Long Branch, stock arguments now used and been iterated and repeated times over. No wonder frequently finds it necessary to the world that his "preserves him in great esteem." They are such embarras any man who assumes the server and place-hunter must encounter. On the other hand, the columns of the Journal that now supports for years been loaded with in and unanswerable arguing his utter incapacity for the seeks. Greeley and his have furnished Republicans money necessary to convince people that the man who other than he who bailed, is the one best fitted to fill position of President of the

WINE PRODUCERS
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ty. repudiates Greeley in a published letter, and declares for Grant and Wilson. He truthfully states that the latter have proven themselves the earnest friends of the workingmen and are entitled to their cordial support.

We are informed that Judge McGarvey, of Oklah, has come out for Greeley. On the other hand, Thomas L. Crothers, a rising young lawyer and prominent Democrat, has, we are informed, declared for Grant.

The *Enrico Sentinel* urges the nomination of General Robert M. Clark for Supreme Judge in Nevada, by the Democracy.

Judge Garber is a Democratic candidate for United States Senator from Nevada.

Several influential Democratic papers in Oregon refuse to support Greeley, as also does the *Beaver River Revue*, the leading organ of the party in Nevada.

SUNOMA COUNTY ITEMS.

From the Flag.

The school census shows that Healdsburg has 883 children between the ages of 5 and 15 years, of whom 318 have attended public or private schools during the past year, and 74 have attended 16 schools. The whole number of white children under five years of age is 161.

The Democrats of Sebastopol held a meeting on the 6th instant and resolved that they didn't want to support Joseph Griggs (Democratic nominee for County Supervisor), and called a mass meeting to be held at Sebastopol on the 2d of August to nominate a suitable candidate. They consider that the re-election of Mr. Griggs would be detrimental to the best interests of the country.

The Board of Supervisors of the Healdsburg last Monday to investigate the feasibility of constructing a wagon bridge over Dry Creek, but it is understood that the project has been abandoned for the present.

Robert Finley brought to this office a few days since some specimens of timothy grass grown on his ranch on Russian River about six miles below this place, which measured five feet and ten inches in height, the head measured thirteen inches. Mr. Finley is well satisfied with the experiment of raising timothy. He sowed a piece of bottom land to this grass the year ago last December, cut a very fair crop of hay last year and has now a very heavy crop ready to cut. He thinks it superior to alfalfa or meadow grass for hay, and a much better dressing for impoverished land.

From the Democrat.

The Farmers' Club held a meeting on the 6th and organized temporarily, by electing H. P. Holmes, President and A. W. Middleton Secretary. Committees on by laws and permanent organization were appointed and instructed to report at the next regular meeting of the Club, July 20th.

The new freight tariff which went into effect July 1st, reduces the freight on lumber per car load from Santa Rosa to Cloverdale to twenty dollars, instead of twenty-five, which was formerly charged. The freight on general merchandise from San Francisco to Santa Rosa will in future be three dollars and fifty cents per ton instead of three dollars, an increase of twenty

KURIE—In this city, Ju
Mrs. Charles Kurie, a son.
CRISPIN—In Healdsburg
and Mrs. N. W. Crispin, a son.
CLAYTON—In Healdsburg
Mr. and Mrs. Clayton, a son.
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DAVIS—In Petaluma, J
Greene Davis, aged 16 years.
KITCHEN—In Cloverdale
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ROOMS OF
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San Francisco, Ca

REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION

AT A MEETING OF THE
State Central Committee
Room 417 Kearny street,
the 25th day of June, 1872, it
That a State Convention
Party of California be held at
ments on

Thursday, August

For the purpose of nominating
tickets to be supported at the
the election, and for the transac-
other business as shall pro-
said Convention. Delegates
are hereby appointed
counties as follows:

APPORTIONMENT OF

Alameda	12	Place
Alpine	2	Place
Amador	6	Place
Butte	7	Place
Calaveras	6	Place
Colusa	3	Place
Contra Costa	6	Place
El Norte	2	Place
El Dorado	8	Place
Fresno	2	Place
Humboldt	6	Place
Inyo	2	Place
Kern	2	Place

F. & N. P. RAILROAD TIME-TABLE.

LEAVE.	ARRIVE.
AND PASSENGER.	MAIL AND PASSENGER.
Albama... 5.45 A.M.	San Francisco 11.30 A.M.
... 5.58 "	Donahue... 4.35 P.M.
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burg... 6.30 "	Petaluma... 5.00 "
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Rosa... 7.30 "	Santa Rosa... 5.50 "
... 7.51 "	Fulton... 6.02 "
... 7.58 "	Mark West... 6.08 "
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Grove... 8.07 "	Grand... 6.30 "
... 8.10 "	Healdsburg... 6.37 "
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... 8.45 "	Truett's... 7.20 "
eco... 2.00 P.M.	Cloverdale... 7.35 "
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Albama... 1.10 P.M.	Donahue... 6.40 A.M.
burg... 2.45 "	Petaluma... 7.40 "
Rosa... 4.05 "	Santa Rosa... 9.15 "
na... 5.25 "	Healdsburg... 10.40 "
le... 6.10 "	Cloverdale... 12.10 P.M.
AY EXCURSION.	SUNDAY EXCURSION.
Albama... 2.00 P.M.	San Francisco... 8.00 A.M.
burg... 2.51 "	Donahue... 10.15 "
Rosa... 3.30 "	Petaluma... 10.35 "
na... 4.25 "	Santa Rosa... 11.20 "
le... 4.45 "	Healdsburg... 12.05 P.M.
eco... 7.00 P.M.	Cloverdale... 1.00 "

TERRIBLE TRAGEDY.

Married Woman takes the Law in Her own Hands and Shoots Her Slanderer.

Thursday afternoon a terrible tragedy occurred in Vallejo Township, about four miles from Petaluma, in which a young married woman named Mary Ann Kinney, aged about 17, shot and killed Wm. Cummings. The near as we have been able to ascertain is as follows: The prisoner, Mrs. Kinney, married in February last, and since that time Cummings, a rejected suitor, had been circulating stories reflecting severely on her character. So persistent was Cummings in his slanders that he finally succeeded in accomplishing his end, by bringing about a separation between Mrs. Kinney and her husband. This occurred about two weeks ago.

A WOMAN'S REVENGE.

In consequence of Cummings' slanders, and his separation from her husband, so the poor woman's mind that she was determined to be avenged. Accordingly on Thursday afternoon last she stationed herself with a shotgun near the roadside where Cummings would pass with his team. Cummings, along, seated on the wagon; she advanced towards him, and getting within a few feet the wagon took a desperate aim and

DOMESTIC WRANGLE.

Two Families at Sebastopol in Hot Water—A Deserted Husband and a Deserted Wife.

Last Tuesday morning a report became rife in this city that a married man living at Sebastopol had eloped with a young girl, and that the guilty parties had been arrested at the depot in this city, and the man taken to the city prison while the girl was sent to a private house. This was a sweet morsel for gossippers to roll under their tongues, and for them gatherers to chronicle, and all day long the affair was a matter of much public talk. Some dozens of different versions of the story have been circulated, and it was hard to determine exactly how to denominate the crime.

THE FACTS OF THE CASE.

When the truth became known the many glittering stories, tinted by David Gossip, faded away, and the matter resolved itself down about as follows: Mr. Flagg, who was once living in perfect peace with his spouse, had so far forgotten his marital vows as to entwine into his affections the heart of one Mrs. Lizzie Thayer, who had also considerably "swayed" on Thayer, her lawful and wedded husband, and between whom a separation had taken place. Mrs. Thayer has a father living in Oregon, and she therefore concluded to return to the parental roof. It suddenly occurred to Flagg that he had important business in the web-foot country, and so he concluded to tear himself away from the endearments of his family and accompany Mrs. Thayer to her Oregon home. They left Sebastopol in the stage for Santa Rosa, and taking the cars at the latter place, were soon speeding away on their journey. But, alas!

"The best laid plans of mice and men gang aft agley." A dispatch was sent to Marshal Knowles of this city to detain the guilty pair here until a warrant could be sent down for their arrest. Knowles, therefore, for want of full particulars of work by, arrested the man for abduction and disposed of the woman as above stated. That evening, however, a warrant was sent down from Santa Rosa, charging both parties with grand larceny for stealing Mrs. Flagg's clothing. On Wednesday morning they were sent to the county seat, where their crimes will receive a hearing and the case be fully ventilated. In the meantime an abnormal curiosity is steadily on tip-toe, with bated breath, anxiously waiting the details of a scandal that promises such rich developments.

ACQUITTED.

Yesterday information was brought to this office that the above parties had an examination at Santa Rosa, on the charge of grand larceny, and were acquitted. Further that they had proceeded on their way to Oregon. Thus, for a time, ends a great scandal.

LETTER FROM LAKE COUNTY.

Eds. ANGRS:—After a modest, if not a guilty silence, Agricola takes his pen in sun-browned hand to make good his promise to give you an occasional letter from Lake County. Will you believe that there is such a dearth of news here that a newspaper cannot exist? Several attempts have been made by newspaper men in our county, but failure has to be written after every effort. Now after this little piece of intelligence you will be very merciful with the shortcomings of your Clear Lake correspondent. My second boy, who is somewhat of a critic, was looking over my shoulder while penning the first sentence, and had the impertinence (not to say the ill-manners) to insinuate that "sun-browned hand" owes its brownness to the iodine the doctor put on it a day or two since for the erysipelas, thus taking the wings off of my newly acquired pride in the field of manual toil.

But to change the subject, Messrs. Editors, this is a very hot day. While I am writing, the dog at my feet is lolling out his tongue, and the turkeys and chickens are panting with open mouths and drooping wings. It is said when people have nothing important to talk about, they talk about the weather. I am fearful my letter will confirm this sarcasm or base aspersion on talkers and letter writers. Messrs. Editors, are you ever laid under the necessity of writing leaders on hot days? If so, I pity you. Or do you wait till it gets cool? This last question is asked, because I am aware you live in a very changeable climate. Another reason for the question, properly quite as apparent, is: I am trying to find some excuse for my negligence. I am beginning to learn that framing weak excuses is even harder than performing duty at the time. But I have such a disinclination for newspaper correspondence that I fear I shall do no better in the future.

In the agricultural districts the hay crop is cut and eaved. The hay crop for this county is large and of good quality. This is in consequence of partial failure of the wheat crop. They have just begun to cut wheat. There will be something over half a crop. The wheat is also of a good quality. Our county is something like you own—our largest crops not being realized after an extremely wet winter. While we generally have good returns from farming, with our fine climate and unsurpassable watering places, is inviting many to this part of California. By the way, one of your townsmen, Mr. Thomas Mackintosh, has just purchased a stock ranch here of eight hundred acres, and has moved on to it. Other Petalumans who have visited this charming country are badly smitten. As in matrimonial matters, so in this—the only satisfactory cure is in wedlock.

Another fact that invites strangers here is that improved farms can be bought one-half and one-fourth less than they can in most parts of the State that are older. This is quite a consideration, since we are now within 25 miles of the railroad.

The little town of Kelsey is growing rapidly, and the buildings are substantial and neat. The town has quite doubled in buildings in less than a year. We boast of two great church edifices, a school house, three stores, two hotels, one shoe shop, one saddle shop, one paint shop, one wagon shop, one blacksmith shop, one planing mill and carpenter shop, one drug store, two public halls, one butcher shop, two livery stables and one whisky mill. The last is the only thing in which we do not feel a comfortable price. The good Templars, however, are making it pretty warm for it. Lakeport, the county seat, is also growing. It is a beautiful place.

The Spruce (Bartlett & Campbell's) still continue to be popular. Recently Frankfort, with

THE REASON WHY.—In explanation of the

SONOMA COUNTY ELECTION RETURNS FOR 1872.

CANDIDATES		PRECINCTS										TOTAL	MAJORITY	
		Petaluma City	Petaluma Town	Vallejo	Sonoma	Healdsburg	Santa Rosa	Healdsburg	Healdsburg	Healdsburg	Healdsburg			
ELECTORS - REP.														
J. B. Follen	127	78	88	75	108	13	76	209	60	23	23	1,708	98	
Claus Sprickels	127	78	88	75	108	14	76	209	60	23	23	1,708	98	
J. O. Goodwin	127	78	88	75	108	14	76	209	60	23	23	1,708	98	
J. F. Miller	127	78	88	75	108	14	76	209	60	23	23	1,708	98	
J. H. Hale	127	78	88	75	108	14	76	209	60	23	23	1,708	98	
J. H. Rose	127	78	88	75	108	14	76	209	60	23	23	1,708	98	
ELECTORS - DEM.														
J. C. Shor	65	52	136	51	78	31	92	221	31	42	42	1,804	98	
Joe Hamilton	65	52	136	51	78	31	92	221	31	42	42	1,804	98	
Peter Donahue	65	52	136	51	78	31	92	221	31	42	42	1,804	98	
F. M. Pinley	65	52	136	51	78	31	92	221	31	42	42	1,804	98	
F. H. Rose	65	52	136	51	78	31	92	221	31	42	42	1,804	98	
John Yule	65	52	136	51	78	31	92	221	31	42	42	1,804	98	
ELECTORS - STRAIGHT.														
J. Mora Morse	4					10	2	2	4			46		
John Nugent	4					10	2	2	4			46		
M. R. Patten	4					10	2	2	4			46		
Z. Montgomery	4					10	2	2	4			46		
W. J. Graves	4					10	2	2	4			46		
A. J. King	4					10	2	2	4			46		
CONGRESSMAN.														
J. M. Coghlan	121	71	80	75	109	12	76	239	57	21	21	1,842	97	
J. K. Luttrell	71	59	145	55	79	41	101	237	38	46	46	1,715	97	
J. M. Ballhache														
SUPERVISOR.														
G. A. Tupper				74	275	5				25	51	21	558	97
J. H. Griggs				56	221	23				27	39	20	453	97
J. K. Smith				32	87	21				60	23	8	307	97

The Result.

It is impossible to state accurately the result of the late election in all the States of the Union. It is known that Grant and Wilson are elected by an immense majority of the popular and electoral vote. We give below the majorities in the different States as far as heard from, and the majorities of the Presidential election in 1868. Dispatches to the Aurore this evening may considerably change these figures, but this is the most complete table that can now be made of Tuesday's election:

REPUBLICAN MAJORITIES.	
Maine	2,800
Pennsylvania	35,000
North Carolina	5,000
Indiana	9,000
Rhode Island	8,000
Vermont	35,000
New Jersey	25,000
Nevada	1,000
Illinois	30,000
Delaware	2,000
Oregon	1,000
DEMOCRATIC MAJORITIES.	
Florida	10,000
Maryland	6,000
Georgia	25,000
Republcan majorities	410,000
Democratic majorities	99,000
Net Republican majority	481,000

The following States have probably given Democratic majorities: Florida, Tennessee, Texas, Virginia, and Missouri.

We give below the majorities of each State at the Presidential election in 1868 and the number of electoral votes to which each was entitled. Deduct

COUNTY ELECTION RETURNS

WINDSOR, Nov. 5.—The full vote in Russian River Township is as follows: Grant, 76; Greeley, 92; O'Connor, 2; Coghlan, 76; Luttrell, 101. The Republican gains for President, as compared with last year's gubernatorial vote is, 31.

BODEGA, Nov. 5.—The votes of this precinct are all counted. Grant has 46, and Greeley 63; a Republican gain of 25; Coghlan, 41; Luttrell, 76. For Supervisor, Tupper, 25; Griggs, 27; Smith, 60.

FREESTONE, Nov. 5.—The vote of this precinct is: Grant, 38; Greeley, 46; Republican gain of 3. Coghlan, 36; Luttrell, 49. For Supervisor, Tupper has 31, Griggs, 32, and Smith, 23.

SANTA ROSA, Nov. 5.—Santa Rosa precinct gives Grant, 238; Greeley, 331; and O'Connor, 10; Coghlan, 236; Luttrell, 341; Ballhache, 3. For Supervisor, Tupper, 275; Griggs, 221; Smith, 87.

SONOMA, Nov. 5.—Sonoma gives Greeley 48 majority—a Republican gain of 48—Luttrell's majority is 65.

CLOVERDALE, Nov. 5.—The vote in this precinct is as follows: Grant 69, Greeley 75. O'Connor 22. This is a gain of 85. Coghlan's vote is 87 and Luttrell's 76.

HEALDSBURG, Nov. 5.—The vote of Healdsburg stands Grant 209, Greeley 221. O'Connor 21. The Republican gain in this precinct is 110. Coghlan

against voting on the subsidy question. The slowness of the officers left hundreds standing in line when the polls closed.

California gives Grant about 6,500. Page 2,000, Coghlan 250. Houghton 800, and Clayton 1,040 majority.

NEVADA.

VIRGINIA CITY, Nov. 5.—Grant carries Nevada, and the Jones legislative ticket is probably elected by a close vote.

EASTERN ELECTION NEWS.

NEW YORK, Nov. 5.—The World estimates at midnight that all the Northern States with South Carolina and Mississippi give 233 electoral votes for Grant, leaving 113 for Greeley.

Grant has 40,000 majority in New York State, Greeley running behind Klerman and the Democratic State ticket 15,000 votes. The Republicans have the Legislation of the State by a working majority.

CHARLESTON, (S. C.) Nov. 6.—The horse disease is increasing.

HVANA, Nov. 6.—Horses arriving from New York are quarantined to prevent the spread of the disease.

The Government troops were defeated by a body of insurgents near Trinidad; 34 were killed. PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 6.—It is sup-

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We give below the majorities of each State at the Presidential election in 1868 and the number of electoral votes, to which each is now entitled. Deducting two from the number of electors shows how many Congressmen there are in the State:

REPUBLICAN STATES.		
State	No. Electors	Rep. maj.
Alabama	10	4,290
Arkansas	6	3,074
California	10	514
Connecticut	6	3,045
Illinois	21	51,150
Indiana	15	9,572
Iowa	15	48,259
Kansas	15	17,030
Maine	11	28,090
Massachusetts	11	77,069
Michigan	11	31,481
Minnesota	11	15,479
Missouri	15	25,283
Nebraska	3	4,290
Nevada	3	1,382
New Hampshire	5	6,957
North Carolina	10	12,138
Ohio	22	41,428
Pennsylvania	29	82,898
Rhode Island	4	6,445
South Carolina	7	17,254
Tennessee	12	80,446
Vermont	5	22,122
West Virginia	5	23,132
Wisconsin	10	83,488

DEMOCRATIC STATES.		
State	No. Electors	Dem. maj.
Delaware	3	2,367
Georgia	11	45,698
Kentucky	12	76,323
Louisiana	8	46,962
Maryland	8	31,919
New Jersey	9	2,880
New York	35	10,000
Oregon	3	164

STATES NOT VOTING.		
State	No. Electors	
Texas	8	
Mississippi	8	
Virginia	11	
Florida	4	

In Florida the three Presidential electors were appointed by the Legislature. The electoral vote stood: Grant, 214; Seymour, 80. Total, 294. Grant's majority, 135. The total number of electors this year, 366.

Vote of Sonoma County.

The vote of Sonoma county for Governor last year, with majorities in each precinct, was as follows. The table will be interesting as a means of comparing the gains or losses of each party tomorrow:

Precinct	Booth	Haight	Rep. maj.	D'm maj.
Bloomfield	98	84	10	
Bodega	48	88		40
Cloverdale	48	157		21
Freestone	68	73		11
Geyerville	28	99		62
Healdsburg	291	229		32
Mariam	21	45		12
Ocean	35	26	4	
Petaluma City	348	294	48	
Petaluma Township	159	88	71	
Russian River	88	144		56
Santa Rosa	257	585		273
Sebastopol	159	155		39
Sonoma	113	192		80
Stewart's Point	54	68		3
Timber Cove	19	83		64
Vallejo Township	99	104		6
Total	1,861	2,512	125	823
Total number of votes cast				4,090
Haight's majority over Booth				632

this precinct is as follows: Grant 75, Greeley 75, O'Connor 22. This is a gain of 85. Coghlan's vote is 87 and Luttrell's 76.

HEALDSBURG, Nov. 5.—The vote of Healdsburg stands: Grant 209, Greeley 221, O'Connor 2. The Republican gain in this precinct is 110. Coghlan receives 239 and Luttrell 235.

GRYSERVILLE, Nov. 5.—Washington Township votes as follows: Grant 23, Greeley 42. Last year 118 votes were cast and the Democratic majority was 62, showing a Republican gain of 43. The vote for Congressman is Coghlan 21, Luttrell 46.

BLOOMFIELD, Nov. 5.—This precinct gives Grant 75 and Greeley 51, which is a gain of 11. Coghlan has 75 and Luttrell 55. For Supervisor the vote is: Tupper, 71; Griggs, 53. The total vote is 49 less than last year.

FULTON, Nov. 5.—Greeley's majority is 27 and Luttrell's 32. This precinct was last year a part of Santa Rosa, and the net Republican gain in the two is 142. The vote for Congressman in Fulton is: Coghlan, 12; Luttrell, 44. Supervisor—Tupper, 5; Griggs, 23; Smith, 24.

SEBASTOPOL, Nov. 5.—Grant has 103 votes and Greeley 78, total, 180; against 278 last year. The Republican gain is 68. For Congress Coghlan has 109 and Luttrell 79. For Supervisor the vote stands: Tupper, 98; Griggs, 56; Smith, 32.

PETALUMA CITY.—The total vote in this city for President is: 470 against 636 last year. A decrease of 166. Grant received 281, Greeley, 185, and O'Connor, 4; Grant's majority 90. This is a Republican gain of 48. The vote for Congressman is: Coghlan, 203; Luttrell, 209; Baillache, 3. Coghlan's majority is 51; exactly the same as last year.

PETALUMA TOWNSHIP.—Last year the total vote for Governor, in this precinct was 274, and Booth's majority 71. This year the total vote is 192, divided as follows: Grant, 127; Greeley, 65; Grant's majority 62; a Democratic gain of 5. For Congressman, Coghlan received 121, and Luttrell 71.

VALLEJO TOWNSHIP.—The total vote for President, is 120, of which Grant received 78, and Greeley 52; Grant's majority 28; a Republican gain of 32 compared with last year. The aggregate vote is 72 less than last year.

MARIN COUNTY RETURNS.

TOMALES, Nov. 5.—The vote here stands Grant, 100; Greeley, 33. The total vote is 62 less than last year, and Grant's majority is 2 less than Booth's majority last year. Coghlan's vote is

horse disease is increasing.

HVANA, Nov. 6.—Horses arriving from New York are quarantined to prevent the spread of the disease.

The Government troops were defeated by a body of insurgents near Trinidad; 34 were killed.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 6.—It is supposed that the crisis is now reached in the horse disease. The city is almost horseless, and business is stagnant.

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—The Herald election estimates gain; Grant, States, and Greeley 8; or 263 electoral votes for Grant, and 90 for Greeley. Grant's popular majority is 350,000.

The Tribune gives Grant 290 electoral votes and Greeley 82, and there is scarcely a parallel in the completeness of the route. Grant has 10 years more power, and heavy Congressional majorities in both Houses. Whatever record he may seek to effect will have the aid of the Tribune.

The World gives Grant's popular majority at 300,000.

The Times gives Grant 300 electoral votes, and Greeley 42, with the balance doubtful.

All but three election districts have been heard from on Mayoralty vote in this city. They give Havemy Republican, 51,959; Lawrence, 34,301. Havemyer's plurality, 3,4

BALTIMORE, Nov. 6.—The indications are that the State will give Greeley 5,000 majority.

NEWARK, N. J., Nov. 6.—The Democrats concede the State to Grant by 5,000 majority. The Legislature Republican by a small majority.

TALAHASSEE, Fla., Nov. 6.—In 10 counties, partially heard from, the estimated Republican majority is 3,000.

WILMINGTON, Delaware, Nov. 6.—Grant and Wilson have carried the State by a small majority. There are 12 Republican gains everywhere throughout the State.

NEWARK, N. J., Nov. 6.—The Republicans claim the State by 8,500.

RICHMOND, Virginia, Nov. 6.—98 precincts in 30 counties, including Richmond City, Grant has 2,003 majority.

LONDON, Nov. 6.—The Drace, from South America, was wrecked at and ten persons were drowned.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 6.—Grant carries Pennsylvania by a very large majority, estimated by some as high as 100,000.

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—The England States are solid for Grant.

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Railroad Company are closely allied, and it is to be hoped that they will always work together in harmony and unite in an earnest effort to build up our city and develop the almost limitless resources of Sonoma County. Such a feel confident will be the case.

ACCIDENT AT SEBASTOPOL.—On Tuesday, the 21st inst., James Gannon, of Sebastopol, met with a very severe accident, which will doubtless render useless for a long time his right arm. It seems that he was taking a gang-plow to be repaired at Sebastopol, and was, driving four horses. Not being an expert with the "ribbons" he was paying particular attention to the team to the disregard of where the plow was going. When near the town the plow struck a stump, throwing Mr. Gannon to the ground, breaking his right wrist and driving one of the bones of the arm nearly through the hand, producing a very bad wound. Boyce, of Santa Rosa, was sent for and rendered surgical aid, and Mr. Gannon's condition was comparatively easy.

ROAD FROM HEALDSBURG TO THE COAST.—The party that went out last week to view the proposed route for a road from Healdsburg to the mouth of the Gualala River, on the coast, says the *Flag*, have returned and pronounced the route a feasible one. By the present traveled road the distance from Point Arena to Santa Rosa is about 90 miles. The new road will be a better one and make the distance between the two points named, by way of Healdsburg, only 70 miles. The road to Skaggs' Springs will be shortened four miles. At their next meeting the board of Supervisors will no doubt take such steps as are necessary to secure the opening of the road.

THE HORSE DISEASE.—It is reported that there are two horses sick with the

pose. Our informant states that the work of erecting a mill will be commenced in a few days, and pushed forward vigorously. Here is an example worthy of imitation by citizens of Petaluma. If we do not give immediate attention to our manufacturing interests and render available the numerous advantages afforded, there will be half a dozen larger and wealthier towns in this County within five years than Petaluma.

EXCITEMENT AT HEALDSBURG.—Our Healdsburg neighbors, we understand, are in a state of great excitement over a rumor that Peter Donahue intends tearing up the Cloverdale road. Now, we are not at all in the confidence of Mr. Donahue, have never had the least business transaction with him, and of course cannot speak by authority, but nevertheless we take it upon ourselves to deny the rumor, which will hold good until that gentleman authorizes us to say that there is truth in the report. We should rather believe that the road would be extended to Humboldt Bay. We think a gentleman told us once that he knew a man who heard another man say that Mr. Donahue had once said that "railroads never go backwards."—a sentiment that certainly holds good in a new and undeveloped country.

PRISONERS EN ROUTE.—Sheriff Latta passed down last Saturday en route for San Quentin with the prisoners convicted at the recent term of the County Court, whose sentences we published yesterday. The following are the names of the prisoners: John Acker, for grand larceny, eight years, and for housebreaking, three years; Chas. Montgomery, for grand larceny, six years, and for housebreaking, two years; John King, for housebreaking

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OF SHEEP FARMING.

product of Sonoma County d at a wonderfully rapid he last six years. In 1866 wool produced in the 127,837 pounds, and last roably not less than 380, enough to keep quite a mill constantly in oper- profits of wool growing in are well-illustrated by the om the Cloverdale Bee: ber, 1860. Frank McElar- sheep raising near the town endocino County, com- a stock of only 150 sheep, et and a camp kettle, and a debt, having borrowed to purchase the sheep. He adily to his business, and thereafter, besides mak- he sold \$5,000 worth of ol from the increase of his k of 150 sheep, then had and besides had a horses, three cows, many live, as comfortably as a ish. Mr. McElarney's ex- onstrates clearly that any s necessary industry and

James Sturges, who was arrested in Bodega for the violation of the Sunday law, was tried before a jury and acquitted.—Roll. Cullum, who was accidentally shot in Bodega Township about three weeks ago, has had his foot amputated.—A stalk of alfalfa in the Plaza has grown twenty-eight inches in seven weeks.—A. Lancel, recently from Amiens, France, has purchased from Hudspeth and McGuire 880 acres land for the sum of \$7,000, and will stock it with fine sheep.

SERIOUS RESULT.—Our readers will remember the account published in the ARGUS of the accident to James Gannon, of Sebastapool, on the 21st of last month, in which that gentleman suffered a compound fracture of the right arm, by being violently thrown from a gang-plow. We received the painful intelligence Tuesday morning, from our friend L. W. Miller, that yesterday it was found necessary to amputate the arm of Mr. Gannon, six inches above the elbow, as mortification had set in, and he was also threatened with tetanus. The operation was performed by Drs. Boyce and Allen of Santa Rosa. At the time our informant wrote, Mr. Gannon was lying in a very critical condition, and his recovery was deemed extremely doubtful. We certainly hope that a favorable change may take place in his condition, and his life be spared to his family and friends.

TAKEN TO STOCKTON.—Judge Caleb Burbank, of this city, was taken to the Insane Asylum at Stockton on Tuesday morning by Deputy-Sheriff Hedges. This was in accordance with his own request and by the order of Judge Overton. It seems that at times the Judge has an irresistible desire to take his own life or those around him, and it was deemed better that he should be placed where he could be properly

NO SODA IN FRESNO.—Sen- tie and A. McGuire, of this turned a few days since fro tended tour in Fresno Coun expressed themselves much with the country through w traveled. To say nothing o cultural advantages, the pol dencies of the people, as wil appear, were quite satisfact tourists. It happened in t The aforesaid tourists were with a gentleman from San a genial companion, who wa larly happy in incident and s journey was made upon the t plan, not one of the party bottle with him, and stations and far between. When reached Fresno, they enter and for some minutes each back for his neighbor to t nally the San Franciscan the bar, and asked, "G what will you have?" M down for a drop of the "Favorite," our Senator po elined indulging, giving as that he never drank, while Franciscan said he would take soda. The perplexed bar-ten the stranger closely, as if t that his customer was not jo after satisfying himself that earnest, replied: "Soda! soda thar is no such drink as that Fresno County." The trio with laughter, and Mac was one who enjoyed his refresh

BEWARE OF HIM.—For some of our innocent-minded might get nipped we publi- lowing caution from the Chronicle of a few days ag itinerant imposter has been v many Vallejos during the days, by means of a patent w preparation which he vends

same to Austin Creek, up the same to the divide between it and the Walhalla, and thence following the Walhalla to its mouth. Timber is what they are after. This looks like work. The maximum grade is 130 feet per mile, and the sharpest curve has a radius of about 300 feet.

ACCIDENT AT SEBASTOPOL.—A very distressing and fatal accident happened at Sebastopol on Saturday last. A little son of Owen Burns attempted to climb into a lumber wagon, while in motion, and putting his foot upon a bucket, swung to the wagon, and was about to step up, when the bucket turned beneath his feet, and the little fellow fell under the wheels, which passed over his body, killing him almost instantly. The boy was about four years old, and his tragic end must cast a gloom over the family.

RE-OPENING OF THE AMERICAN HOTEL.—Mr. Kitteridge, the lessee and landlord of the American Hotel, in this city, threw the house open to the public to-day. Mr. Kitteridge is an experienced landlord, and one of the few good men who knows how to keep a hotel. We predict for him his full share of the business, and can safely guarantee satisfaction on the part of his guests.

TO LIQUOR MEN.—Liquor dealers are referred to the advertisement of the well-known liquor merchants of San Francisco, T. J. Cockrill & Co. This firm make it a specialty to keep the very best qualities of liquors, and are the agents for the "Fairbank's B.B.B.," "Kentucky Gem," and other favorite brands. They are good men to deal with, as their liquors are warranted to be just what they are represented.

WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY.—Last

der, \$5.

There being no further business, the Board adjourned.

DEMING, PALMER & Co.—While in San Francisco a few days since, we met our former fellow townsman, Jacob Palmer, now of the great mill firm of that city, Deming, Palmer & Co. For old acquaintance sake Jake left his business for an hour, and we took a run with him through the company's mills. They have two mills on Sacramento street, one of which is in constant operation, and the other is held as a reserve and only runs at certain seasons. Besides these mills, the company have a water power mill at Los Angeles, which runs all the time. The firm do a large business, and confine their principal attention to the manufacture of rye flour, hominy, split peas, pearl barley, etc. Mr. Palmer is the business manager, and his many friends in this section will rejoice to learn of his success and the prospects in store for him. Those desiring to purchase anything in their line can find their address by referring to advertisement in another column.

HOME AGAIN.—J. W. Perry, Route Agent on the Central Pacific Railroad, returned from his trip last night. He again made another narrow escape, his train passing over the Truckee Bridge just before it fell with a crash. Had the bridge fallen with the train the loss of life would have been terrible.

BITTEN BY A DOG.—Johnny Flinger, who keeps a feed yard just out of town, was quite badly bitten by a vicious dog yesterday evening. The dog caught him by the arm, badly lacerating the flesh. We trust that his injuries may not prove of a serious nature.

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FROM SEBASTOPOL. — Postmaster Jett took a trip to Green Valley and beyond, on the latter part of last week. He reports everything in that section as being in a prosperous and promising condition. He visited the saw factory of S. Nowlin, which is located in the village of Forestville. He says that there are employed at the factory, in getting out the timber and putting the chairs together, twenty-two men and eight teams. They average about one hundred and twenty-five chairs per day, from the stump to the wareroom. This only shows what a little enterprise, directed in the right channel, will accomplish. If Summa had a few Nowlins we could dig out at hard times.

SUBSIDY DECISION. — In the Supreme Court, on Tuesday, in the case of Coleman vs. Supervisors Mariposa County, it was ordered that a writ of certiorari issue, requiring the Board to certify to the Court a transcript of their proceedings in extending aid to the extent of \$160,000 of the bonds of the county to the North Pacific Coast Railroad Company under the Act of April 4, 1870, and the Act amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto; said writ to be returnable in thirty days. It was further ordered that all proceedings of the Board in regard thereto be in the meantime stayed.

HOPE VALLEY MINING COMPANY. — Articles of incorporation were filed in the Secretary of State's office on the 15th inst., of the Hope Valley Gold and Silver Mining Company, to carry on and conduct the business of mining in Alpine County, California. The

corner of Seventh and B streets. The neighborhood was searched, but without success, and no tidings could be had of him. As the youth was subject to fits, the possibility of his having fallen into the privy vault became apparent. The vault is about ten feet deep, and filled with about seven feet of water. A long pole was secured, and with it the

BODY WAS FELT AT THE BOTTOM.

A grappling iron was improvised, and the inanimate remains of the unfortunate lad were drawn to the surface. The body must have remained in the vault about three hours.

A CORONER'S INQUEST

Was held by Justice Cavanagh, the jury consisting of Isaac Fuller, W. C. Jordan, Jacob Holm, J. D. Thompson, John L. Patterson, Peter Janson, C. Johnson, W. Montgomery and L. O'Dell. After inquiring into the matter, the following was arrived at as

THE VERDICT:

We, the jury, sworn and empaneled, to inquire into the cause of the death of the person now before us, do find and return the following verdict: That the name of the deceased is George Schmitt, aged eight years, and born in the city of Petaluma, Sonoma County. That he came to his death from accidental drowning, in the city of Petaluma, on this 18th day of May, A. D. 1873.

THE FAIRBANKS TRAGEDY.

The Mendocino Dispatch, of Saturday last, has the following in reference to the Fairbanks tragedy at Point Arena, on the 14th, a full account of which was given in the ARGUS on Monday: "The first time we recollect seeing the deceased was six years ago in Ukiah. He was then on trial for the crime of murder, having shot and killed Capt. Knight, a neighbor, in an altercation about some rails, which both claimed. Public opinion was somewhat divided at the time, but our impression now is that a large majority believed the kill-

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SEBASTOPOL.

We recently made a flying visit to
our neighboring town of Sebastopol.
While we note but little improvement
in the business part of the town, we
observe many evidences of prosperity
in the suburbs. There have been some
very fine residences built within the
outskirts of the town within the last
two years. The town contains two
hotels, four stores, one shoemaker shop,
two churches, one butcher shop, two
livery stables, two insurance agents,
one saloon, one carriage manufactory,
and last, but not least, one physician.
The Pioneer is a commodious, and very
pleasantly located house indeed. It
commands a charming view of the
Santa Rosa Valley, with the Sonoma
Mountain looming up in the distance,
making a suitable background to a pic-
turesque scene. After remaining a
short time in Sebastopol, we took pas-
sage on the stage for Santa Rosa. It
struck us that the crops are not near so
heavy between Sebastopol and Santa
Rosa as they are in this vicinage. San-
ta Rosa is indeed spreading herself
over a large extent of territory. We
note many improvements within her
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track, we jumped on board, and in
thirty-one minutes by the watch were
in Petaluma.

DUNCAN'S MILL ITEMS.

Duncan's Mill was to commence ship-
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The contract for building the Nar-
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Rule's saw mill, in Russian Gulch,

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arsenical remedies for those diseases are
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**PROCTER & GAMBLE'S
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more of them had they been. Each were cheered by their friends. On ballot by pre-tuttle received 39 votes, and Tuttle was declared the winner.

FOR ASSEMBLYMEN,

Following gentlemen were put in nomination: Lee Ellsworth, Win. M. Wright, C. K. Jenner, Northcutt, Chas. Humphries, W. J. Hudson, James Dixon and Alexander Shores. Each candidate was forced to the stand, and all voted the resolutions, and as believed for more and stronger ones.

On first ballot, Winfield S. M. of Santa Rosa, and James of Fort Ross, were nominated; on the second ballot, W. H. utt received a majority of votes, and his trio were declared the nominees.

FOR SHERIFF,

Latapie, of Petaluma, and Jo. of Santa Rosa, were placed in nomination. Mr. Wright withdrew, on motion, Capt. Latapie was elected by acclamation.

FOR COUNTY CLERK,

Fortson, of Santa Rosa, E. L. of Santa Rosa, and J. P. Ashly, of ale, were placed in nomination. received the nomination on the lot, the vote standing: Fortson, is 4, and Ashly 24.

and schooners were owned, and one steamboat, the "Relief," and the business transacted by the company was large and lucrative. But the Destroyer Death, has claimed all the members of the company. Capt. Baylis died in 1867, and Capt. Cutter in 1871—thus in less than six years all the members of the firm have passed away, and all that is now left of a once prosperous and thriving concern is a memory. Capt. Sullivan was born in New York, and was at the time of his death 42 years of age.

SEVERE ACCIDENT.—Near Sebastopol, on Monday, a Swede by the name of Fredericson Richardson, fell from the top of a hay press and broke his left arm. Dr. Allen repaired damages temporarily, and he was sent to the County Hospital at Santa Rosa. Some five weeks since he broke the same arm in the same place. The broken limb was set by a doctor of Petaluma, who advised him to use it very carefully. Contrary to advice he went to work before the broken parts were thoroughly knit together, and falling from the press, broke the arm again.

LARGE FUNERAL.—The funeral of Felix Rodgers, took place last Saturday from the Catholic Church, was largely attended. Fifty-one carriages and wagons were in the procession.

of the deceased is right that he was born in New York; that he was years of age, and during the night of 1873, from the effects of a fever, died.

Petaluma, July 22 1873

RECORDERS

Recorder Cavanagh a lively business since. One or two simple were arrested for being their purses had the prisoners were set at liberty a touching reprimand.

FAST DRIVE

On Sunday, two men and Joseph Greevy were fast driving on the street a fine of \$5 each for making the public street.

FIGHT AMONG

Sunday evening, 6 o'clock, two Chinese respectively Ah Kee and in a fight over a gun the Chinese quarter, New York Hotel. A mishap for some time adjourned to the Kee drew a knife and the left arm. Mars both and on Monday put in the prisoner's assault and battery, in fighting within city found guilty under the

Mrs. Natholie Selling of Pet.
Appointed assist teacher of Sebastopol school.

AUGUST 8, 1873

ROAD TIME-TABLE.

TO S. F.

MAIL AND PASSENGER.

Cloverdale....	6.00	A.M.
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Grant's.....	6.50	"
Windsor.....	7.06	"
Mark West.....	7.12	"
Fulton.....	7.17	"
Santa Rosa.....	7.30	"
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Page's.....	7.50	"
Goodwin's	7.55	"
Penn's Grove.....	7.57	"
Elv's.....	8.00	"
Petaluma.....	8.10	"
Lakeville.....	8.25	"
Donahue.....	8.30	"
San Francisco	11.00	"

ACCOMMODATION & FR'T

Cloverdale	12.00	M.
Healdsburg.....	1.25	"
Santa Rosa.....	3.00	"
Petaluma.....	4.20	"
Donahue.....	5.00	"

SUNDAY EXCURSION.

Cloverdale	2.00	P. M.
Geyserville	2.20	"
Healdsburg	2.45	"
Santa Rosa.....	3.25	"
Petaluma.....	4.05	"
Donahue.....	4.25	"
San Fran'co.....	7.00	"

NATURALIZED.—One candidate for the county is registered in the Great Register of Sonoma—age (when registered), country of nativity, occupation, millman; local residence; Naturalized, 6, in the Eleventh District, Placer County; date of registration, 20th 1867. We are informed that a native of the county is at a loss to find out where Mr. Dixon could have been registered in Placer County. There is evident the part of some one.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

A Grange is soon to be organized at Sonoma.

Seventy-two pupils attend the public school at Sebastopol.

Fine specimens of coal have been developed in a mine near Cahto.

Read advertisement of Santa Barbara College in another column.

There are good prospects of an abundant potato crop in this county and Marin.

The Petaluma Grange of the Patrons of Husbandry will hold a meeting to-morrow.

The Board of Fire Delegates will meet this evening at 7½ at Engine House of No. 1.

The Cloverdale and Geyser Springs Toll Road will be opened to travel on Sunday, the 10th.

Santa Rosa has another Addition, except "Tupper's" on the south side of Matanzas Creek.

Marin County will have four delegates at the approaching Republican State Convention.

An uncommonly heavy fog prevailed last Tuesday night. It amounted almost to a rain.

The *Flag* says parties in Healdsburg constantly violate the law against selling liquor to Indians.

Some of the wells in the southern part of town which have never before given out are nearly dry.

The Board of City Trustees will meet as a Board of Equalization on Monday next, 11th of August.

The board of City Trustees will meet in regular session at the City Hall, on Monday evening next.

The Amelia has been running on the Donahue line this week. The Antelope will be put on to-morrow.

Numerous droves of cattle and hogs have passed through town this week, en route for San Francisco.

County Treasurer Paull last week paid into the State Treasury \$8,310, and received \$12,923 school money.

Ex-Post Master Sackett is rapidly recovering from his recent injuries, and will probably soon be out again.

Six independent candidates for sheriff of Lake County are announced in the columns of the *Lakeport Bee*.

Rev. B. S. McLafferty, formerly of

FATAL ACCIDENT.

A Man Crushed to Death by a Hay Press on Him—Coroner's Inquest.

A fatal and melancholy accident occurred at about 4 o'clock yesterday (Thursday) on the ranch of Wm. about three miles below Donal sulting in the instant death of a man named Robert Irwin. Irwin ceased was employed with a hay press. The party were moving the hay press from Fredson's farm to Carr's. The in which the press was being moved broke down, and they took the press and were dragging it upon a rough ground the press tilted, when Irwin threw himself against it to prevent falling, but was crushed beneath the weight, the press weighing over a ton. Irwin was doubled up instantly killed, and was not able to utter a syllable. A messenger immediately informed Judge Shattuck of the accident, who this morning repaired to the place and held a

CORONER'S INQUEST.

The following were the Jurors: W. Scudder, A. H. Fredson, E. James Alern, Donald McLay, S. Drake, R. Hentley, W. Laren, Geo. Collins and Wm. C.

THE EXAMINATION.

Joseph Atkinson, being sworn, testified that he knew the deceased. His name was Robert Irwin. He last saw him alive at 4 o'clock yesterday. He was a helper for me, assisting to move a hay press at the time he was killed. While moving the press from Fredson to Carr's. On the way the press broke down. We took the press and the wagon to haul it on the shore. While going along the press started over, and Robert Irwin, the driver,

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OFFICERS OF ELECTION.

The Board of Supervisors have ap-
pointed the following elective officers,
and designated the places where the
polls are to be held in the various pre-
cincts of the county as follows:

Sonoma Election Precinct—Inspector, Ste-
phen Akers; Judges, Samuel Agnew and John
Ivnoch. Election to be held at Justice's Court
building, on Broadway.

Vallejo Election Precinct—Inspector, John
Todd; Judges, G. D. Green and John Lynch.
Election to be held at the Elmore School House.

Donahue Election Precinct—Inspector, Ed-
ward Fenton; Judges, Seneca Daniels and
John M. Roberts. Election to be held at the
Sonoma House.

Petaluma City Election Precinct—Inspector,
Lee Ellsworth; Judges, W. H. Dalton and A.
B. Derby. Election to be held at the City Hall.

Petaluma Township Election Precinct—In-
spector, S. M. Martin; Judges, Charles Rob-
erts and John L. Mock. Election to be held at
John Finger's house.

Santa Rosa Election Precinct—Inspector, W.
J. Hardy; Judges, John T. Cannon and G. W.
Davis. Election to be held at the Court House.

Fulton Election Precinct—Inspector, J. H.
Griggs; Judges, James A. Feugh and C. P.
Teague. Election to be held at Fulton's ware-
house in Fulton.

Russian River Election Precinct—Inspector,
J. Oliver Ogle; Judges, J. W. Yates and Ben-
jamin Clark. Election to be held at Hopkins'
Hotel in Windsor.

Bloomfield Election Precinct—Inspector, E.
C. Elshaw; Judges, John Judson and Jacob
McReynolds. Election to be held at Lefebvre's
Hotel.

Sebastopol Election Precinct—Inspector, B.
H. Allen; Judges, James Gannon and John
Walker. Election to be held at "Wilson's
Exchange."

Forestville Election Precinct—Inspector,
W. L. Anderson; Judges, S. S. Nowlin and
Lawson Ross. Election to be held at A. J.
Bump's store.

Freestone Election Precinct—Inspector Math-
ew Mason; Judges, W. N. Meeker and A. S.
Purine. Election to be held at O'Grady's Hotel.

Bodega Election Precinct—Inspector, L. S.
Goodman; Judges, A. C. Wood and John Can-
ningham. Election to be held at Stamp's Hotel,
in Bodega Corners.

Ocean Election Precinct—Inspector, A. Dun-
can; Judges, Samuel Rein and Andrew Mark-
ham. Election to be held at the Ferry House.

Timber Cove Election Precinct—Inspector,
Wm. J. Francis; Judges, H. Peters and R.
Helmke. Election to be held at the school house,
Timber Cove.

Stewart's Point Election Precinct—Inspector,
N. O. Mitchell; Judges, J. C. Fisk and Christian
Stengel. Election to be held at Fisk's Hotel.

Redwood Election Precinct—Inspector, C. D.
Yarborough; Judges, L. W. Eldenhour and Reu-
ben William. Election to be held at Bagley's
store, in Guerneville.

Hidalgo Election Precinct—Inspector, T.
W. Hudson; Judges, J. S. Shater and John
Pickle. Election to be held at Norton's Law
Office.

Geyserville Election Precinct—Inspector, A.
H. Stiles; Judges, L. G. Ellis and Wm. Low.
Election to be held at Brookshire's Hotel, Geys-
erville.

Cloverdale Election Precinct—Inspector, Wm.
William Caldwell; Judges, John Field and D. C.
Brush. Election to be held at the U. S. Hotel,
Cloverdale.

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Professional and Amateur Musi-
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satisfactory results produced in an endless va-
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COLT STAKE



FOR 1874

Extension of Time of Payment.

AT A MEETING OF SUBSCRIBERS TO
the Tinting Colt Stake for 1874, held June
21st, on motion, an extension of SIXTY DAYS
was granted on the Third Installment (of \$25).
the same being then overdue. Payment must
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find only one new case registered, thus far for the coming term. The case of A. P. Whitney vs. C. T. Carter—execution issued to Sheriff of Col. Costa County. This is partly due to the fact that Judge Overton has had a special session and disposed of many cases, these: Sept. 9th, A. A. Diamond vs. B. C. Wright and J. Block—judgment for defendant.

Sept. 15th, M. T. McClellan vs. Geo. Miller—possession ordered in favor of plaintiff; together with \$40 damages; proceedings stayed for ten days.

The Only Criminal Case
Now ready to be presented to the Grand Jury is that of M. Briggs, for the shooting of Mary Glack both of Healdsburg. And the probabilities are that this case will be tried in this county, it being understood that his counsel will make application for change of venue to some other county.

District Court
Convenes in the middle of October. Next week I shall send report of all the cases then on the docket for the ensuing term.

A Wedding
Occurred this morning unusually early, at 6.30 o'clock A. M., the marriage of Miss Mollie Parks to Mr. Harry Hendley, son of Dr. Jas. Hendley, known everywhere in Sonoma County. The ceremony took place at the Methodist church (South). Although early, the church was crowded to overflowing with friends of the bride and her family, and of the groom and his.

The ceremony was unusually merry and mirthful—not a tear. ARROW.

ROAD REPAIRS.

EDS. ARGUS.—“Eternal vigilance is the price of”—good roads, as well as of liberty. “A stitch in time saves nine,” and now is the very time to begin repairs on the roads we have just macadamized, before they are out of order. Every rut ought to be filled as fast as made. Every hard rock that works to

LETTER FROM SEBASTOPOL.

SEBASTOPOL, Sept. 25, 1873.

EDS. ARGUS.—On Sunday the 13th, Mathew McPeak, an old gentleman nearly seventy-five years of age, was buried at Pleasant Hill, a burialground near Sebastopol, with Masonic services. He was in town on the day of election, and stayed some time near the polls passing jokes with some old friends and neighbors. On the following day he fell or was thrown from his horse, receiving injuries which resulted in his death on Thursday the 11th. No bones were broken, but the shock was so severe that he never rallied from its effects.

The Methodists South began holding camp meeting near Pleasant Hill on Friday last, and intend to hold over two Sundays. The meeting must have been well attended last Sunday, judging from the number of people that passed through the town on their way to the camp grounds. After the conclusion of the afternoon services the returning teams kept the road in a cloud of dust for the rest of the day.

The same afternoon the usual Sabbath stillness of this village was interrupted by a slight fracas, in which a Chinaman, an Indian and some boys were the participants. The Celestial came off considerably damaged. All the parties were arrested and taken to Santa Rosa. I have heard two stories as to the disposal of the parties. You can take your choice. The first was to the effect that the Chinaman swore to a falsehood, and that nothing could be proved against the other parties, and that he was let off on payment of costs. The other was that the Indian was fined \$25 and the white boys discharged.

The races last week, I believe, were well patronized, but as I did not attend I can give no particulars.

LETTER FROM TOMALES.

Asiatic Cholera Almost Everywhere PAIN.

DEAR SIRS.—Do you years in Siam and found your Pain-Killer for that fearful sickness. In administering most effectual to Killer in a gill of sugar; then, after to give about a tablespoon every few minutes. Bathe the clear, and rub the had the Cholera, fully in the way recovered.

DEAR SIRS.—In China I have used both in my own and have found in the Summers of in Shanghai, I for for Cholera. If in a great many falling in a single been residing in miles from a physician to fall upon sickness. The numbers for me without medical simple remedies in advance even have almost daily to come because them, and opens arrhea, Colic, Vom your Pain-Killer. Yours, very truly.

Those using P serve the following At the common teaspoonful of P and then bathe the bowels with the diarrhoea and cr every fifteen minutes scourge may be relieved in the course of N. B.—Be sure and it is recommended the Pain-Killer for cases the patient full instead of on The PAIN-KILLER

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MATRIMONIAL.—Our friend, Charles E. Polk, jeweler, of this city, has added another priceless gem to his stock of jewels last night in the form of a wife. The marriage notice will be found under the regular head. We certainly hope that Mr. Polk and his estimable wife may long live to bless the day that made their fortunes one. May peace and prosperity attend them all their days.

SEBASTOPOL GRANGE.—Following is a list of officers of the Sebastopol Grange, installed on Saturday, November 15: Master, M. C. Hicks; Overseer, L. Ross; Lecturer, H. Lapum; Steward, P. McChristian; Assistant Steward, B. B. Berry; Chaplain, Jas. Gregson; Treasurer, L. Harbine; Secretary, Jas. Purrington; Gate Keeper, Owen McChristian.

READ THEIR PRICES.—The firm of H. C. Taft & Co. appear to-day in a new advertisement, in which they set forth and enumerate prices for their goods. Boxes and bales of new goods arrive at their store daily, and the firm always keep up with the styles and market. They keep an extensive stock, and like all successful merchants are liberal with printer's ink.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.—At a regular meeting of Arcturus Lodge, No. 180, F. & A. M., held last night, the following officers were elected for the ensuing Masonic year: James Singley, W. M.; Dr. J. B. Christie, S. W.; A. Lackie, J. W.; Joseph M. Bowles, Treasurer; Dr. J. H. Crane, Secretary.

HOME AGAIN.—Miss Helen Bean, eldest daughter of Col. A. A. Bean, of this city, who spent the major portion of the season among her friends in Colorado Territory, returned home on

Ward, Fairy; Mrs. S. J. Smith, Daughter of Regiment; Mrs. Davidson, Huntress; Tennie Bauer, Wanda; Mrs. Wm. Brown, evening dress; Miss Rettle Mecham and Settle Cofer, evening suit; Mrs. H. L. Weston, domino; Miss Fannie Ladd, in evening dress; Miss Nettie and Mary Hinkle, in evening dress; Miss Ida Brown, Spanish dress; Miss Jennie Lee and Miss Josie Baldwin, fancy dress; Miss Mollie Sroufe looked charming as a Spanish Senorita, while her younger sister, Miss Susie, appeared in an evening dress; Miss Eva Tibbets dressed as Evening; Miss Ellen Tupper wore a Bloomer costume; Mrs. J. H. Knowles appeared as a demure old lady; Mrs. H. H. Atwater, full dress; Miss Helen Singley was a Fairy and Miss Lucy Wharf was an angel with wings; Miss Marilla Camm, Evening, her sister, Miss Annie, as Morning; Miss Jennie Gilbert, Morning; Miss Lizzie Smith as a Grandmother of '76; Miss Belle Smith, Peasant Girl; Mrs. Annie Shaw, Child of the Regiment; Miss Allie Hamilton, Flower Girl; Miss Nellie Morse, fancy dress; Miss Kittie Weston, Undine; Mrs. B. Harter, full dress; Mrs. D. W. Sroufe appeared as Evening, and her daughter, Miss Leonia, as Columba; Miss Lizzie Edwards, Goddess of Liberty; Mrs. E. Cornwell, School Girl; Miss Clara Sproule, Flower Girl; Miss Frankie Crane, Peasant Girl; Mrs. B. Palmer, as a Photograph Artist; Miss Safa Tate, elegant fancy suit; Miss J. Blume, walking dress, and Mrs. E. Rowison appeared as an Indian Woman.

GENTLEMEN.

C. E. Whitney appeared as a Spanish Nobleman; W. R. Hall frolicked in an Irish dress; E. Armes as a German Prince; Sam Jewell, Schoolboy; A. C. Cotton went in a locket suit; H. C.

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V. B. HASKELL, Secretary.

DEATH.—An old gentleman
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At the regular meeting of
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E. Cox, Secretary.

CRUSHED.—We have a

postponed two weeks on account of the
regular term of the County Court com-
mencing December 1st.

SONOMA COUNTY ITEMS.

The following items are from last
week's Santa Rosa Democrat. Skaggs
Springs Hotel is being rebuilt on the
site of the house recently burned down.
With favorable weather it will be on-
closed and weather-proof in another
week.—That portion of the road be-
tween this place and Sebastopol known
as Joaquin Lane is being put in good
condition for winter travel by Road
Master B. B. Berry.—Wm. Carlyle
has entered into an agreement with
General Vallejo to bring the water
from a reservoir on General Vallejo's
place, through redwood pipes with three
inches bore, into the town of Sonoma.
The total length of mains is to be 8,000
feet, and the work is to be finished on
or before the 15th of January, 1874.
All profits are to be divided equally be-
tween Vallejo and Carlyle for the first
five years. At the expiration of that
time General Vallejo has the right to
pay Carlyle the original first cost of the
works and the whole interest reverts to
General Vallejo. The cost of the pipe
laid down is not to exceed twenty-eight
cents a running foot.—Wm. Carlyle,
of Bodega, manufactures wooden pipe
by boring sections of redwood, from
twelve to sixteen feet long, with a self-
cleaning auger of his own invention,
capable of turning out from six to seven
hundred feet a day when run by horse-
power. The diameter of the bore is
from one and a half to three inches.
Mr. Carlyle has made, in the past five
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a force of workmen fast removing the debris of the recent fire, and the company will immediately commence the erection of a large brick structure, to be used as a car-house and machine shop. For the present a machine shop will be improvised in the round-house. We are told by good authority that this is the first loss that Col. Donahue has ever sustained from fire during all his business life. The loss by the recent fire cannot fall short of \$50,000.

DEATH OF GEORGE DORNER.—Geo. Donner, the only surviving son of Captain George Donner, of the celebrated "Donner Party," many of whom perished in the Sierra Nevada Mountains in the Winter of 1847-48, died at his residence near Sebastopol on the 16th instant. Deceased came to this county about a year ago, having been for many years previously a resident of Santa Clara County. He was a member of the Odd Fellows' fraternity, and leaves a wife and five children. His remains were taken to San Jose for burial.

COURT NEWS.—In the District Court this week most of the week was occupied by the trial of the case of Emerson vs Skaggs. A judgment of \$107 was awarded to the plaintiff. In the case of Clark vs Kelly, judgment for defendant. The Mojorques case was in progress but had not been disposed of up to last night.

AT BLOOMFIELD.—Rev. A. J. Nelson, of this city, will deliver his lecture on Fallstaff and Hamlet at Bloomfield next Wednesday evening. The proceeds will be appropriated for the benefit of the M. E. Church at that place. We can assure the people of Bloomfield that they will enjoy a rich intellectual treat.

DEFEATED.—The vote in Marin District last Saturday on the proposition to raise \$250 for school purposes stood 11 for, and 14 against the tax. The

has a conscience, so long with the question at the crowing of the cock.

Efforts are made to interrogate the future. Can the living hold converse with the dead? Is the question to be settled. No finite power can read the secrets of the grave. Dead men tell no tales. The veil that shuts the view was woven by the hand of mercy. The lone star lights up the gloom. Man, thou shalt never die. Man, thou livest forever.

BODY FOUND.

The body of the man John Sherman, who committed suicide by drowning himself in Petaluma Creek on the 9th instant, a notice of which was given in the ARGUS, was found floating in the water about a mile and a half below town on Wednesday afternoon. Information of the fact was brought to town, when Justice Cavanagh, with other parties, proceeded to the place and had the body conveyed to this city. On Thursday morning an inquest was held. The facts elicited at the inquest were the same that have been published, save in one particular. One of the witnesses, Wm. H. Smith, testified that about fifteen days before the suicide the deceased told him that his real name was Hiram Blackston, and that his people lived at Pike-ton, Ohio. He further told deponent that he expected to drop off suddenly as he had the heart disease, and requested witness, in event of his death, to inform his people. The jury rendered a verdict that deceased came to his death by drowning, and that he drowned himself. The body was soon after the inquest committed to the grave, being in a state of decomposition.

PROSPECTS IMPROVING.—The agricultural outlook in this county has greatly improved within the last ten days. We have had no rain since the 19th, and the weather this week has been favorable for farming operations. Our farmers have availed themselves

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PETALUMA MANUFACTURES.

**Petaluma Foundry and Stove Factory - Brief
 History of the Establishment - Amount
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one of the most important manufac-
 ing establishments in Sonoma Coun-
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PETALUMA FOUNDRY,
 which is situated on the west side of
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 assistant is Martin Armstrong.
 is a thorough workman, and has
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LOCAL BREVITIES.

Plant trees.
 Jasper Linville has been reappointed
 Post Master of Cloverdale.

Special meeting of the Board of Fire
 Delegates this evening at 7:30.

Total rainfall to date 23.14 ; number
 of rainy days during the season 51.

Remember the lecture by Calvin B
 MacDonald, at the M. E. Church, to-
 night.

The Tomales Public School will
 open next Monday, Miss McAllep
 teacher.

We are informed that farming pros-
 pects are quite promising in the Bodega
 country.

From the March apportionment of
 State and county school funds Peta-
 luma receives \$1,931 85.

Last Sunday morning snow was visi-
 ble on the summit of the mountains in
 the vicinity of St. Helena.

A. C. McMeans, County School Su-
 perintendent, has our thanks for cour-
 tesies extended to this office.

The work of sewerage Fifth street at
 the crossing of F, has been commenced
 and will be completed in a few days.

L. W. Miller is among the passen-
 gers who left New York by steamer on
 the 1st instant, for San Francisco.

Peter Donahue left San Francisco on
 Monday for Iowa, whither he goes to
 see a brother who is dangerously ill.

The Grange will meet to-morrow in
 their new hall, formerly Hopper's Hall.
 A harvest feast is a part of the pro-
 gramme.

A post office has been established on
 Alcatraz Island, and A. Bushnell, for-
 merly of Anady Township, is Post
 Master.

Under the auspices of the lady mem-
 bers the lot upon which the Episcopal
 Church is situated is being graded and
 fenced.

G. W. Sparks has been appointed

BOARD OF C

A meeting of
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Vallejo Chronicle of Monday has flowing: The memorial service of the late J. L. Stevens held evening at the Congregational h, South Vallejo, was well at- d. The house was very appro- ly ped for the occasion. Por- of the Scripture were read from and the Acts, and after a brief r the pastor gave some account of o and the progress of Christian us in that Republic. Letters of st were read, after which fidelity th, to principle, and duty as em- l in the life of Mr. Stevens were onately urged on the young of ngregation. The exercises were olemin and impressive character. hln the last fifteen months five rs have been committed in Men- o County. The first was by George and, who shot and instantly kill- an named Crowley, in the lower f Anderson Valley. Soon after man was stabbed and killed at Arenas. On the 22d of Febru- st year Wm. Burke blew out the of his brother-in-law, John , with both charges of a double- ed shot-gun. The next murder ut of Henry Fairbanks, who was led in his own house at Point , the 13th of last May by an own party. Next, and last so far own—and most horrible of all— murder of Mrs. Strong some six ago, at Sherwood Valley, for Alexander and Gelger have indicted by the Grand Jury. of the parties accused of these rs have yet been tried.

CALF CASE.—On Wednesday, Eaglehardt, a calf merchant of ity, was arrested on the com- of Bloominthal & Co.; calf mer- , for malicious mischief. It ap- that a spirit of rivalry existed on the parties, and a bad feeling en engendered. On the night of y 1st, some calves that Bloom- & Co. had slaughtered, were angling in their shop, ready for ent to San Francisco. The next ng they were found in a muti- condition, two of the calves hav- en thrown on the floor and in the . They could find no clue to the r of the mischief until a few ago, when it leak-d out through Eaglehardt's former business as- , that he had done it through . He was accordingly arrested, vo trials were had. The first on esday night, at which the jury to agree and the second on the

poll tax.

SANTA ROSA AND VICINITY.

The following items are from the Democrat of last week:

Vegetation is very backward in the vicinity of Santa Rosa. There will probably be the usual area planted with grain.

P. Mullallay, who owns a ranch on English Hill, in Bodega Township, has been making experiments in raising early potatoes for the past four years, and has succeeded in producing some of excellent quality from seed planted last November.

Mr. Ross, of the firm of Baker & Ross, has invented a lead bar to take the place of double whiffletrees.

Reuben Reeves and his son-in-law, E. S. Taylor, who left this county a few years ago, are about to return to California.

The Sebastopol race track, built last Fall, is proving to be one of the best in the State. Fifteen horses are in train- ing there in charge of Steve Crandell.

John Fisher and John Simons have started a soap factory on Fourth street. They will make 250 pounds per day for the present, and will enlarge the ca- pacity for manufacture if the business justifies the outlay.

The number of pupils enrolled in the Santa Rosa Public School for the month ending March 13th was 334; whole number of days attendance, 5,885; number of days absence, 423; number tardinesses, 142; average daily attendance, 277.

The following new suits have been commenced in the District Court:

A Barnes vs M Whallon and F N Ward—Complaint. J M Rooney vs S P Lewis—Goods furnished. A P Overton vs Bernard McNamara and John Taylor—Promissory note. John White and FG Hahnan vs Edgar Mills et al—Recovery of mineral lands. Ap- plication of Joseph S Alemany, Arch- bishop of San Francisco—To sell real estate. George Pearce vs H B Hinds et al and N P C R R Co; foot suits— Complaint on foreclosure. S M B Hal- ey vs Santa Rosa Coal Mining Co— Complaint. James A Peugh vs John Munson and Solomon Jewett—Dama- ges. H Meacham vs S F & N P R R —Damages. C Simms, administrator of estate of R W Lucas vs Nancy T Lucas, executrix of estate of John Lu- cas—Complaint filed. Santa Rosa Wa- ter Works vs T B Gibbs et al—Com- plaint filed.

upon his works, for years, even from his early boyhood, he was identified with our school, as earnest pupil, faithful teacher, or zealous Superintendent. His whole soul, imbued with the spirit of his Master, was in the Sabbath School work, and his interest and zeal for our success infused life and energy into all our religious enterprises. With smiling face, kindly words, and earnest mien, his presence in the school was a stimulus, and his exhortations to renewed diligence and labor were full of fervor and lasting in their influence. He could not be satisfied with the labor expended in our own church, but took charge of the Sabbath School of the Colored Church in this city, and made it a means of good to that neglected people, and as opportunity offered employed himself in other Sabbath School labors.

Thus, in his early youth and manhood, with a holy ambition, he felt that he must be about the Master's work. We have watched him in his boyhood; have watched him as he ap- proached manhood, and as he entered and pur- sued his successful course at our Theological Seminary. It was with fraternal sympathy that we rejoiced with him as he became qualified by hard study for his life-work; and when the final hour came, and he left us for his distant field of labor, we bade him God-speed, and followed him with our tears and prayers, be- lieving that to the utmost measure of his ability he would stand in his lot. And now the sad message is received, "He is fallen!" Fallen, away from home, kindred and friends; fallen, by the hands of those he went to save; fallen, in the prime of his early manhood, in the midst of his labors; fallen, while sowing the precious seed, and before he could shoot the "Harvest Home"; fallen, under the cross on earth, to take up the crown in Heaven.

We come now with "the evergreen wreath" of our love and gratitude, to lay it upon his distant tomb, assured that though he has fallen among enemies, and his body lies buried in a strange land, yet he walks with those who have "come up through great tribulation, and washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb." Rejoicing in the belief that "the blood of the martyrs will become the seed of the Church" in that dark and benighted land, we shed our tears for his loss and offer our prayers for his enemies. Our earnest applications ascend, that his mantle may fall upon us, and that a measure of the fidelity which he illustrated may become a character- istic of every member of our School.

THE GREAT ANTAGONIST OF DISEASE.—What is the natural antagonist of disease? It is the vital principle. From the moment that disease is developed in the system, this champion fights the intruder until it either conquers or is conquered. Which side should medicinal science espouse in this life and death struggle? Should it depress and cripple the physical energies of the patient, thereby helping the disorder, or should it reinforce the vitality of the patient, and thereby assist in quelling the ailment? Of course the proper answer to this question must be obvious to every one above the grade of an idiot or a lunatic, and hence it follows that the weak and broken down invalid who chooses to dose himself with depleting nops, instead of toning, invigorating and vital- izing his emaciated frame with Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, must be either feeble-minded or deranged. Surely nothing short of imbecility or insanity could induce a person laboring under bodily weakness and nervous prostration to take day after day powerful doses of some drastic purgative, in the hope of gaining strength thereby. Although charlatans may advertise preparations of this character as tonics, people in the full possession of their reason cannot, one would think, accept them as such. If they do, the penalty of their credu- lity may be the shortening of their lives. The rheumatic, the dyspeptic, the bilious, the debilitated and nervous, and all who are subject to intermittents, or other diseases brought on by the inclement weather which prevails at this season, will do well to strengthen their nerves, tone their stomachs and regulate their bowels with the Bitters. The two-fold operation of the restorative as an invigorant and an aperient, in addition to its direct and specific effect upon the disordered liver, renders it the most efficient remedy for complaints of the digestive, secret- ive and excretive organs at present in use. This fact is conceded by eminent members of the faculty, whose testimony to that effect is published in Hostetter's Almanac for 1874.

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CONSTANTLY ON HAND, A CHOICE
Stock of

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I Will Not be Undersold

By any house in town, as my facilities for buying are as good as the best.

HIGHEST MARKET PRICE

PAID FOR COUNTRY PRODUCE.

GOODS DELIVERED FREE

14 To any part of the city.

A. P. WHITNEY,

ELECTION NOTICE.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF Sonoma.—Notice is hereby given that an election will be held on

Friday, the 29th day of May, 1874,

Within and for the Townships of Bodega, Ocean, Anay, Russian River, Redwood, Mendocino, Santa Rosa, Cloverdale and Washington, in pursuance of the Act known as the "Local Option Law," entitled "An Act to permit the voters of every township or incorporated city in the State to vote on the question of granting license to sell intoxicating liquors."

Said election shall be conducted and governed by the General Election Laws of this State, so far as the same are applicable thereto, provided that copies of the Great Register need not be used, and Section 1036 of the Political Code shall not apply to or affect such elections."

The tickets to be voted at such election shall contain the words, "For License" or "Against License."

The following named persons are appointed as officers of said election:

BODEGA CORNERS—Inspector, J. W. Acker; Judges, James Clark, G. H. Briard.

FREESTONE—Inspector, A. S. Purvine; Judges, A. Perry, M. Mason.

OCEAN TOWNSHIP—Inspector, B. Sartori; Judges, D. Knowles, James Cain.

SERASTOPOL—Inspector, B. B. Allen; Judges, S. Ballard, J. M. Hudspeth.

BLOOMFIELD—Inspector, D. Hoag; Judges, J. Judson, R. Gardener.

FORRESTERVILLE—Inspector, D. P. Rice; Judges, L. Ross, H. A. Bump.

SANTA ROSA—Inspector, E. T. Farmer; Judges, J. T. Knox, C. Kessing.

FULTON—Inspector, J. H. Griggs; Judges, F. Howell, D. Butts.

WINDSOR—Inspector, H. J. Foole; Judges, J. O. Ogle, Robt. Greening.

REDWOOD TOWNSHIP—Inspector, C. D. Yarbrough; Judges, L. W. Ridgmont, E. Williams.

HEALDSBURG—Inspector, Josiah Brown; Judges, J. F. Shafter, David Cook.

PINE FLAT—Inspector, W. P. Leyton; Judges, F. B. Sleeper, H. Underwood.

CLOVERDALE—Inspector, Wm. Caldwell; Judges, John Field, D. C. Brash.

GRYSEVILLE—Inspector, A. H. Stiles; Judges, Eli Cummings, Wm. Ellis.

The polls are to be held at the same places as at the last general election, except at Windsor the polls are to be held at the "Free Church," and in Pine Flat the polls are to be held at Leyton's office.

By order of the Board of Supervisors.

J. M. PALMER, President.

Attest: J. T. Fortson, Clerk.

May 7, 1874.

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first discovered in 1797, and the only extensive deposits yet found in the United States, besides those in this county, are near Baltimore, Maryland, and in Chester and Lancaster counties, Pennsylvania.

Chromium alloyed with iron and steel is coming into use in the construction of burglar-proof safes, and like purposes, on account of the great hardness which it imparts. Compounded with potash in certain proportions, it crystallizes in orange-red crystals, is readily soluble in water, and is largely used for dying and calico printing. This compound added to a solution of lead produces chrome yellow, a pigment much used. The sesquioxide of chromium, or chrome green, has a bright green color, and is much used in enamel painting, and being innocuous has lately been introduced into paper-hangings, instead of the highly dangerous arsenical green pigment. The ore in Mr. Barnes' mine is very heavy, six cubic feet weighing a ton. The only establishment in the United States at which chrome iron ore is manufactured into paint, etc., is at Brooklyn, New York, to which place the ore taken out at Mr. Barnes' mine is shipped.

EDUCATIONAL NOTES.

The new Compulsory Education bill goes into effect on the first of July.

Acting teachers are not eligible to the office of School Census Marshal.

Commencement day of the Christian College at Santa Rosa will take place on Thursday, June 4th.

This week closes the fourth month of the present term of the public schools of Petaluma. The term will close four weeks from to-day.

Trustees should not forget that it is their duty to appoint a School Census Marshal before the first of June, and

goes, will officiate at St. John's (Episcopal) Church on Sunday, the 24th inst.

The little boy who accidentally shot himself in Sonoma some five weeks ago, has nearly recovered from the wound.

The Deputy County Assessors are busy just now in this city collecting poll tax and making the assessments of property.

E. Nowlin's Chair Factory, at Forestville, in this county, is now in full blast, and is now turning out 100 chairs per day.

We are indebted to George Ross for a copy of his splendid retouched photograph of T. T. Unckless' celebrated stallion Alexander.

The Hewston Guard, Maj. Jas. Armstrong, commanding, will meet for parade and target practice on Wednesday, May 20th, at 1 P. M.

The Washington Livery Stable and Petaluma Engine Company's House, on Washington street, are being treated to new coats of paint.

Unless some unexpected mishap interferes the fruit crop in this vicinity will be much larger than ever before. All danger of frost is past.

Mrs. Guadalupe Carrillo, who died at Sebastopol on Saturday last, was buried in Cypress Hill Cemetery, in this city, on Monday last.

At the First Congregational Church of San Francisco, last Sunday evening, a union service commemorative of the late John L. Stephens was held.

Madam Rumor tells us that two ladies, former residents of this city, intend to establish in the most fashionable part of Montgomery street, San Francisco, a first-class bar-ber's shop.

The amount paid out for benefits by the Sonoma and Marin Mutual Beneficial Society of this city during the six months ending March 31, 1894, was \$25,036 20.

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SANTA ROSA AND VICINITY.

These items are from last Saturday's
Democrat:

J. H. Lillie, Jr., left Santa Rosa last
Spring for San Bernardino County,
where he engaged in bee culture. He
commenced with fifty hives, and has
already shipped nine tons of honey to
New York.

Clark Foss, the world-renowned
knight of the rein, has purchased a
tract of land in Knight's Valley, about
five miles north of Calistoga, which he
is improving in elegant style for a
pleasure resort. He has at present ac-
commodations for thirty guests.

Dr. Allen has returned to Santa Rosa
after an extended visit to the Eastern
States.

The body of Valentine Selgel, who sud-
denly disappeared from Poppe's ranch
in Sonoma Valley, was found by a party
of hunters in the tule near Bihler's
Point a few days ago. Deceased was
insane at the time he disappeared. He
had resided in Sonoma since 1856, and
had been continually engaged in the
butcher business.

Ellis Morrow is now Superintendent
of the Santa Rosa Gas Works.

W. H. Wilson of Sebastopol, will
press one hundred tons of hay with
Mr. Scott's new machine. It turns out
the hay in barrel-shaped rolls.

Preparations are being made for a
grand masquerade ball to be given at
Ridgeway Hall on Thanksgiving even-
ing.

The subscription of one thousand
dollars necessary to commence the
church in Bennett Valley has been re-
ceived, and the work will be under
way in a few weeks.

Mr. Wheeler, proprietor of the *Press*

WHERE THE MONEY

Following is a list of the
ed and ordered paid by the
Supervisors at the October

E. Latapie, Sheriff.....	
T. B. Dalton, Under Sheriff.....	
B. Head, Deputy Sheriff.....	
W. W. Wright, Deputy Sheriff.....	
S. H. Wilson, Deputy Sheriff.....	
John T. Farison, County Clerk.....	
Geo. P. Noonan, Deputy County Cl	
Benjamin S. Wood, County Record	
W. T. Johnson, Dep. County Recd	
J. P. Wood, Deputy County Record	
W. E. McConnell, District Attorne	
Walter Ferral, Deputy County Cl	
A. Duncan & Co., overpaid, poll ta	
G. T. Pauli, County Treasurer.....	
A. C. McMeans, School Superinten	
Julio Carrillo, Porter.....	
E. Latapie, bonds for prisoners.....	
W. C. Gains, Assessor.....	
James L. Springer, fees.....	
Samuel Stamp, fees.....	
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Gus. Warner, Supervisor.....	
G. A. Tupper, Supervisor.....	
Thomas Beacom, Supervisor.....	
J. D. Hassett, Supervisor.....	
S. Akers, fees.....	
Maxim Gas Company, gas.....	
J. H. Richardson, fees.....	
W. H. Mead, Constable fees.....	
J. B. A. Petray, labor.....	
Santa Rosa Water Company, water	
Stanley, Neblett & Co., merchandi	
R. A. Temple, stamps.....	
J. M. White, fees.....	
T. L. Thompson, printing.....	
T. C. Pippin, Constable fees.....	
W. E. Manning, Justice fees.....	
Frank Adel, Constable fees.....	
D. M. W. Seaton, Dep. District Att	
John Cavanaugh, Justice fees.....	
Willis & Simons, carriage hire.....	
W. H. Wilson, tools.....	
William Wilson, labor.....	
T. L. Thompson, printing.....	
James A. Martin, team.....	
McCullough & Maslin, legal service	
W. J. Hardy, legal services.....	
T. L. Thompson, printing.....	
J. B. Gordon, surgical instruments.	
J. B. Gordon, salary County Physic	
Mrs. Mary Isaacs, relief.....	
Dr. C. Van Geldern, medical service	
Bloom & Cohen, merchandise.....	

REAL ESTATE TRANSAC

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Following are the real estate trans-
the week ending October 8, 1874:

John H. Lillie to E. B. Monroe, lot
half lot 2, Farmer & Allen's tract.

ready for service about the 20th of January.

Messrs F. Crowley, a young man has resided in Sacramento nearly his life, died of consumption at Rafael on Sunday last, whither he been taken in the hope of improving his health.

The work of laying the track of the low gauge road from Tomales to Ocean Roar House was completed Tuesday, and on Wednesday about sacks of potatoes were shipped to steamer landing.

Next week from to-morrow there will be a meeting of the stockholders of the Sonoma and Marin Railroad Company at the banking house of I. G. Wicker & Co., for the adoption of by-laws and election of officers, etc.

Among the prisoners at San Quentin who will be released this month is Domingo Largo, who was sent from this county for housebreaking and grand larceny. His term of four years expires on the 6th instant.

The officers of the Sonoma and Marin Railroad Company are men of excellent business capacity and unimpeachable integrity. Their names are a sufficient guarantee that the affairs of the company will be properly conducted.

We are informed that there is a crack in the Bloomfield road near the limits that needs repairing. A portion of the fund lately donated for improving our macadamized roads in the county could be used there to advantage.

A conspiracy to break the Solano was discovered last week. One of the parties to the plot was J. H. Lewis, who was some time since sentenced to the State Prison from this county for sheep stealing, and is now awaiting for a similar offense in Solano.

Yesterday, December 3, was the anniversary of the great snow storm of

BLOOMFIELD ITEMS.—The Bloomfield Flouring Mill has recently put in an extra run of stone, making now three runs. The proprietor, W. C. Percival, has built up a large business, and the mill is doing most excellent work, and running all the time.—The Bloomfield Tannery, W. J. Mills, proprietor, is in full blast, and another large shipment of leather will soon be made.

SEBASTOPOL.—Messrs. Rea & Hawkins have recently opened a blacksmith shop in the town of Sebastopol. They are both experienced mechanics, and do all kinds of repairing to wagons and agricultural implements, and horse-shoeing. Their shop is the first from Wilson's Exchange.—Steve. Crandell, with his horses, has gone into winter quarters on the Sebastopol track.

VALLEY FORD.—The Valley Ford Flouring Mill, known as the "Smith Mill," is running regularly. It has two runs of stone, is driven by a twenty-horse power engine, and makes the best of flour, cornmeal, feed, etc., and has a capacity of twenty-four to twenty-five barrels per day. The proprietors, Messrs. Huntly & Cook, are both experienced and qualified mill men, and do a large business.

NEW TIME TABLE.—A new time table of the S. F. & N. P. R. R. went into effect yesterday. The boat now leaves San Francisco at 2 o'clock P. M., and the schedule time for the arrival of the cars in this city is 5:10. The time of departure toward San Francisco is the same at all the stations as heretofore.

"WHY WILL YOU COME TO ME!"
 "Because I have but little money to spare."

lumber manufacturer

NOTES FROM

A resident of this county traveling extensively lately furnishes us the following notes:

Nicasio is one of the loveliest places of the State. The scenery fine, and the climate pleasant and the hotel. The Grangers have well furnished hall and a credit to them as a hotel, of which J. J. is proprietor, is a large well conducted establishment. Winslow, late of Petaluma, is a well stocked store and a fine business.

Olema, which is in Petaluma, is a place well situated near the beach. It contains a store, a butcher shop, a blacksmith shop and several others. The proprietor is a well conducted business.

The prospects for the dairymen of Marin are more cheering than in any other place. A considerable grain has been advanced as it comes in two months later in

ALL PERSONS requested to call, have and give their names to prevent their accounts from being collected. A Collector.

Petaluma, December

Full-Sized.—For S. S. NOBLE, of the Su

NEVER GIVE UP!—H. H. HALL'S HONEY OF HONEY

TO DONAHUE AND BACK.

Pleasant Trip—Finely Improved Farms—
Railroad Works at Donahue—Fine
Scenery—Etc., Etc.

A carriage ride from Petaluma to Donahue on a cold, foggy morning is not the most pleasant journey imaginable, but a trip down by rail and return by carriage in pleasant weather is truly delightful.

Immediately upon leaving this city you enter one of the finest farming districts in the State, extending some sixteen miles southeasterly from Petaluma. The soil is more than ordinarily fertile, and never fails to bring forth a good crop. Though the yield is not so large as on some of the lands farther north in especially favorable seasons, yet for a series of years it is safe to say that this district will produce as much per acre as any other of equal extent in the State.

The farms are nearly all owned by those who occupy them. They are well improved, each containing an orchard of various kinds of fruit, a vineyard, vegetable garden, etc. The buildings, which are nearly all on the east side of the road, are very good, most of the dwellings being large, handsome mansions which would do credit to our large cities. The distance from Petaluma to Donahue is nine miles, and the road is excellent all the way, even at this season of the year. Following are the names of the landholders living on the east side of the

commencing with the one nearest Petaluma: Wm. Hill, J. B. Hine, W. D. Bliss, L. M. Chapman, A. Higgins, Nelson Wiswell, J. B. Lewis, David Stewart, S. Johnson, Sencer Daniels, Mrs. Mitchell, C. A. Bost-

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Wild game is plentiful and cheap in our markets.

The Franklin Literary Society will reorganize shortly.

Regular meeting of the Board of City Trustees next Monday night.

The patent for the Caslamonia grant, near the Geysers, was issued last week.

Sonoma County supplies a large amount of fire wood to San Francisco and Oakland.

A fog of unusual density set in last night at about 8 o'clock, and continued until near noon to-day.

On Monday four schooners were loaded at Donahue with charcoal, paving blocks and fire wood.

Large quantities of paving blocks are being shipped from the vicinity of Santa Rosa to San Francisco.

A young Nimrod hunting a few miles from this city on Tuesday killed ten hares and fifteen quails.

The steamer Milton S. Latham is constantly kept ready for service on the Donahue route in case of necessity.

Two of the convicts who lately escaped from the State Prison are believed to be in the vicinity of Mark West.

Between 150 and 200 men are employed near the mouth of Sonoma Creek in the work of reclaiming overflowed lands.

Charcoal in large quantities is being shipped from the vicinity of Sebastopol and Forestville to San Francisco by the Donahue route.

Barclay Henley of Santa Rosa, has accepted an invitation to deliver a lecture in Napa for the benefit of the public library at that place.

About one hundred Chinamen who have been employed in digging

THE AGRICULTURAL

Secretary's Annual Report

Following is the report of the Secretary of the Marin District Agricultural Society for the year ending December 31st.

The grounds sold to the city of San Francisco in accordance with the special vote of the legislature of said city in 1856. The first bond was issued and the interest bonds, and the discharge of the Society. The report since been sold to the County, and the same has been therefor applied.

The income of the Society from the State lands—about \$500—altogether with the Fair its income, and showed a balance on the part of the Society to all home industries.

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EXPENSES

ritsen; room and library.—O. J. chins, H. C. Taft, Joseph Camp; special committee on lectures—Denman, J. S. Van Doren, Joseph

LIBRARY LECTURES.—The first of a series of ten lectures for the benefit of Petaluma Public Library will be given on or about the 8th of Janu-

The following named gentlemen have been engaged as lecturers: Rev. V. Briar, Jr., Prof. E. S. Lippitt, Horatio Stebbins, Rev. C. J. chins, Hon. John M. Coghlan, A. J. Nelson, Rev. F. F. Jewell, W. Lougee and Hon. J. McMeister. If his official duties and other engagements do not interfere, Governor Booth will deliver one of the lectures.

SEBASTOPOL GRANGE.—The following officers of Sebastopol Grange have been elected to serve for the ensuing year: James M. Hindspeth, Master; C. Sanborn, Overseer; James Grant, Lecturer; James Gregson, Chaplain; George J. Ragle, Steward; J. J. Sullivan, Assistant Steward; Harbine, Treasurer; W. J. Hunt, Secretary; S. McReynolds, Gate Keeper; Mrs. Mary J. Ray, Ceres; Mrs. E. Harbine, Pomona; Miss Libbie Flora; Miss Minerva Sullivan, Assistant Steward.

LOCUTIONARY ENTERTAINMENT.—Professor Knowlton, late Principal of the Rincon School, San Francisco, assisted by local talent will give an locutionary entertainment next Monday at the Baptist Church, the proceeds of which will be given to the church. Professor Knowlton is one of the most accomplished locutionists in the country, and the entertainment will certainly be very interesting. Tickets may be obtained at the stores of Haskins & Galusha,

widdle, Tucker & Co. The hogs are corn fed, and the very best quality of bacon, hams and lard is produced. The length of time required to make good hams or bacon is from thirty to forty-five days. About 2,500 five and ten-pound cans of lard will be put up by this firm this Winter. It is highly interesting to go through this extensive establishment and examine the operations that are going on.

BLOOMFIELD.

A Fine Farm—A Cheese Factory to be Started.

A few weeks since, while at the town of Bloomfield, we had occasion to visit the farm of Wm. White, whose place is about half a mile from the town. It is one among the many well-improved farms in that fertile and productive section. Mr. White is a pioneer to the valley, and has labored assiduously to improve and cultivate his lands, so that at present, beside having a pleasant and comfortable home, he is the owner of a farm that is productive and profitable. He has 330 acres of land, 150 acres of which is cultivated, the balance being used for stock purposes. His new residence, that has just been completed, is a fine two-story building, with a basement, and is supplied with all the modern improvements. Water is brought from a hill back of the house, and is led into every room. The spring from whence the water is taken runs about an inch and a half stream, and beside supplying the house and barn is led into the different pasture fields.

CHEESE FACTORY.

Mr. White is also about to start a cheese factory on his place, that will, we think, prove of great advantage to those having cows in his locality. The factory is two stories high, with a basement, and is well situated for the business.

known in Hicks V. Thursday night of last. From thirty to calves are shipped to San Francisco daily. We received a calf, the popular llama House, at Dona last.

Leonard A. Munsing, thing to his interest with A. Morse, Poloma.

Over \$600 worth is used per month of Petaluma. A portion of it comes from St.

A portion of the be removed from placed on a lot of Keller, owned by J.

By order of the ment the name of Office has been changed. J. G. Susenbeth is

We note a subscription the premises in the building, occupied by J. A. Wiswell, on

Charles Shepherd, tor at Los Angeles. S. Shepherd of the holidays among friends here.

The D street property a large sum of as a horse pasture. It could be converted into a public square.

Dr. A. J. Miller D. A. Sackett, thrown from a horse was riding on Tuesday, and was severely injured.

The longest train over the S. F. & P. on Monday last. cars, and could not

st Saturday, near the
furnished quite a re-
ment for the leisure
Foster and R. McGeorge
the quantity of wood
a wagon, and betting on
as proposed, but did not
atter, and finally an old
fight was the result.
it down, rough and tum-
ulent were the combat-
ex-pounding arguments
if a dozen men were re-
e them properly on their
in College re-opened with
term on Monday, under
circumstances. A good
the former students, and
f about twenty-five new
ad county tax in Sonoma
is fiscal year on a prop-
\$17,017,488 is \$268,-
\$253,316 16 was paid
Monday, leaving delin-
15, a portion of which is
double assessment. The
unpaid is about \$14,000,
month ending January 2d
collected.

ng articles of incorpora-
n recently filed in the
Sonoma County: Santa
Hall Association, for the
rehabing land and erect-
Masonic Hall; principal
ss, Santa Rosa; time of
ears; number of Direct-
seven—to serve as such
A. P. Overton, E. T.
Armstrong, E. Neblett,
E. Cocke, R. Ful-
Santa Rosa, Sonoma
peth Mining Company;
and sell, issue stock, and
conduct the business of

preciated even by our own people.
Petaluma, let it be remembered, is
about the same latitude as St. Louis,
Louisville and Richmond.

SHOOTING MATCH.

STONY POINT, December 31, 1874.

EDS. ARGUS.—The people around
the Corners for the last week have
talked of nothing but the shooting
match between J. Pfau and A. Rickett.
Last Thursday we all met, and after
we had enjoyed a good dinner we pre-
pared for the quail and pigeon shoot-
ing. Rodehaver and Woodworth were
appointed captains. Each man was to
choose ten men, and the side that
killed the most birds claimed all, at the
expense of the opposite side. Mr. Ro-
dehaver's men as chosen were: J.
Morris and A. Holmes, of Sebastopol;
St. John, Pfau, Knowles, Hame,
Lloyd, Baker and Parman, of Petalu-
ma. Woodworth's men were: Wil-
son, D. R. Misner, G. W. Hamilton, J.
Jones, R. Patton, H. Bartlett, A.
Hamilton, E. Bock, G. Bock and E.
Bartlett, of Sebastopol. Woodworth's
side beat four birds.

Now comes the match for \$120. Mr.
Pfau was there with a splendid rifle of
Slotterbek's make, globe-sighted; also
Mr. Rickett, with a fine open-sighted
sporting Spencer, of Mr. Rodehaver's.
Pfau commenced the shooting, and
was the favorite. Bats were offered
four to one, but none accepted, as
Rickett was not done shooting. He got
some fine shots in and won the money.

RACING AT SEBASTOPOL.

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Sebastopol track on New Year Day,
with the following entries: Hughes
Billy Russell, Misner, Bro's Countess

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"May's Christmas Tree,"
Thorne; "A Christmas La
Florence Seannell (each p
with a beautiful picture by
and "The Dwarf's Mirror,"
by F. A. Chapman. There
smile of the original man
famous ballad "I was the
fore Christmas," which will
attention of the boys and
beginning of the two ser
Young Surveyor," by J.
bridge, and "Eight Cousins
isa M. Alcott, with fine illus
W. L. Sheppard and Addi
is an event of great import
readers of the Magazine, a
doubt been eagerly awaited
Hezekiah Butterworth contr
of lively stories called "I
Kings," which are admitt
trated by Henry L. Step
Thomas Dunn English. Has
fashioned Fairy Tale," with
pictures by E. B. Bense. It
also contains "A Bird's-eye
the Battle of Life," illustra
of Concklin's exquisite pict
scription of "The Hornbill,
an illustration by James C.
article giving directions for
"Domino Bridge," and an
account by Noah Brooks of
brated "Children's Crusad
there are poems by Bret
Elizabeth Stuart Phelps, a
Carol" by Mrs. Dodge, an
fully illustrated poem entitl
Glaus and his Men." The
ber of excellent illustration
artists as Sheppard, Eylin
Ledyard, Stephens, Bense
is an important feature of th
"Jack-in-the-Pulpit" and
dle Box" have also caught
mas spirit, and there is an
department of "Books for
Girls;" in fact, eight extra
been added to the January S
in order to make room for al
things that have been crowd

THE REPUBLIC, a Politic
Monthly, published at W
D. C., at \$2 per year, free o
is a valuable magazine. Th
for December is full of inter

articles of incorporation recently filed in the Sonoma County: Santa Rosa Association, for the building land and erecting a public Hall; principal Santa Rosa; time of incorporation—to serve as such directors—A. P. Overton, E. T. Strong, E. Neblett, E. Cocke, R. Fullerton, Santa Rosa, Sonoma Mining Company; sell, issue stock, and conduct the business of prospecting certain minerals or quicksilver, and J. M. Raney, Neom, Memphis, Hudson, Nicholas Biddle and L. Hudspeth, G. T. Brown, John Raney, John Adams, L. Hudspeth and W. the incorporators. 10 shares at \$100 per share, \$1,500,000; term years; five Trustees or directors, John T. Fort, J. M. Hudspeth and L. Hudspeth as principal place of business.

SANTA ROSA.

1 of the German Social and Secours.

best social events of the second annual ball of the Social Club, of Santa Rosa, at Ridgway, August of last week. The Club had been several weeks in making the affair, and every detail was complete.

Plan was there with a splendid rifle of Slotterbek's make, globe-sighted; also Mr. Rickett, with a fine open-sighted sporting Spencer, of Mr. Rodchaver's. Pfau commenced the shooting, and was the favorite. Bets were offered four to one, but none accepted, as Rickett was not done shooting. He got some fine shots in and won the money.

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This track is pronounced by good judges to be one of the best in the country. It is a mile track, owned by James Gannon, and leased to Hedgpeth & Wilson for five years. Steve Grandell now has fifteen horses there in training.

OUR NEIGHBORS.

LAKE COUNTY.

These items are from the Lakeport Bee of last week:

The Farmers' Savings Bank at Lakeport has commenced business.

A well-defined ledge of gold-bearing quartz has been discovered on the ridge that divides the waters of Russian

fully illustrated poem entitled "Claus and his Men." The large number of excellent illustrations by artists as Sheppard, Eytinge, Ledyard, Stephens, Bensell and others is an important feature of the new "Jack-in-the-Pulpit" and "The Idle Box" have also caught the Christmas spirit, and there is an additional department of "Books for Boy Girls;" in fact, eight extra pages have been added to the January No. in order to make room for all the things that have been crowded in.

THE REPUBLIC, a Political Monthly, published at Washington, D. C., at \$2 per year, free of postage is a valuable magazine. The number for December is full of interesting information, containing among others the following articles: "Late Elections," "The Readjustment of the Tariff," "Foreign Interests," "Canadian Reciprocity," "The Indian Domain," "Equalization of School Bounties," "Departmental Intelligence," "Comparative Vote of 1874," "Railway Postal Service," "Free Tea and Coffee," "Report of the Secretary of the Treasury," "Chattanooga Convention," and many articles of interest. Subscribe or for sample copy at once.

THE OVERLAND MONTHLY for January is at hand. The number is filled with original articles and views. E. G. Waite has an article on the "California Overland Railway." Charles Warren Stoddard has the part of a story, Joaquin Miller a poem, while a number of other well known writers adorn the pages. Muir's "Prairie Studies" still continue and illustrated.

Pacific Slope News.

Wheat is quoted at 65 cents a bushel at Salem, Oregon.

The annual meeting of the Agricultural Society will be held on the 27th instant.

Thirteen persons are down sick with the typhoid fever at one house in Clatsop County, Oregon.

acceptably for one year. He is the holder of a life diploma, and one of those live, active, pains-taking teachers who advance steadily in the profession. In common with his numerous friends here and throughout Sonoma County we wish him the fullest success in his new field.

CRYSTAL WEDDING.—The fifteenth anniversary of the wedding of Captain C. M. Baxter and wife was celebrated by their friends at their residence, on Bodega Avenue, on Tuesday evening of this week, in a very pleasant manner. About 100 persons were present, and the occasion was a most enjoyable one. Numerous glass and linen gifts were presented to the married couple, and at about 11 o'clock the company dispersed. Captain Baxter and Miss E. L. Perkins were married in this city on the 5th of January, 1860, by Rev. J. H. Brodt, and have ever since lived in the house they now occupy. May there be many more happy anniversaries of their wedding day.

MASONIC ELECTION AT SEBASTOPOL.—At its regular communication Lafayette Lodge, F. & A. M., of Sebastopol, elected the following officers: Smithfield Ballard, W. M.; B. F. Branskane, S. W.; A. S. Down, J. W.; B. B. Allen, Treasurer; W. J. Hunt, Secretary. The following officers were appointed: D. V. Ballou, S. D.; D. T. Gillam, J. D.; John Royal and A. Z. Lashere, Stewards; David Sealey, Tyler. The officers were installed, December 26th, upon which occasion Prof. Johnson delivered an interesting address.

HUNTERS' PARADISE.—In riding through Chifeno Valley a day or two since we noticed that the laguna was literally covered with ducks and geese. The hunters complain bitterly of our

superintendence, telegraphing, etc., are the same, and the cost of equipping and operating the narrow gauge is much less. The road-bed is narrower, reducing the cost of cuts and fills; ties are shorter and will cost twenty-five per cent. less; the iron is perhaps only half as heavy, and costs, in proportion to its weight.

DEAD WEIGHT.

In passenger traffic upon one basis of estimate the dead weight per passenger is 600 pounds by the ordinary gauge, while by the narrow gauge it is but 400 pounds per head, and upon another basis, it can be shown that this dead weight is much more favorable to the latter system. In Massachusetts and New York the dead weight per ton of paying freight is 3,000 pounds, while on narrow gauge roads it is about 1,300 per ton. If we suppose the cars only partly loaded the difference in dead weight is still greater.

COST OF TRANSPORTATION, REPAIRS, ETC.

It is not true, as is often contended, that the expenditure for power, fuel and repairs are the same in either system for a given amount of freight transported. The machinery and rolling stock, while just as strong, is not exposed to the same shocks, and it is from blows rather than friction that both the stock and rails are worn out. Broad gauge engines weigh from 25 to 45 tons, generally about 30 tons for passenger trains, while narrow gauge engines may be said to weigh 20 tons. The momentum of the blow on the ends of the rails is very much greater as we increase the weight of the engine. So while the rails are light on the narrow gauge they will admit of a much greater amount of traffic proportionately than the wide gauge. It is claimed that the operating expenses of the narrow gauge are 25 per cent. less than of the broad gauge.

—OTHER CONSIDERATIONS.

While the passenger cars appear so small they are just as comfortable

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tt, at the store of the latter, Main and B streets, in which is somewhat worsted. The up in the Recorder's Court on, and Schmitt was r assault and battery. ys ago the Road Tax Col- allejo Township attempted and poll taxes from several allejo Township who were a ranch near Lakeville. ly refused to pay or give but got out of sight of the soon as possible. The is taken steps to bring the e the courts.

you want a perfect fit, go ana Shoe Store.

AR CAZERS.

eday morning a report got have been unable to as- Venus (the star, not the v-ble to the naked eye me. The report spread e, and groups of men, ld, could be seen up and crowded thoroughfares, ently toward the heavens ad some remote idea of at way. The recent Venus has given that onal popularity, and every an, be gotten upon it is t after by the world, and fact that she would con- ake herself visible to the lgar, and this too in the s sufficient to turn the omunity, even though ours. Well, the result ne saw the star, while the latter swearing that "and that Venus was e to transgress a city or- urning such exposures. e testimony is, however, was visible, and those e keenness of vision suffi-

To-day closes the first month of the Winter term of our public schools. In an extract from a note to us from Superintendent McMeans, published in last week's ARGUS, the types made him say, in speaking of Physical Geographies, "St. Maury's," while he wrote it "Lientenant Maury's."

RAINFALL.

The following figures show the rain-fall at the several places named to date:

Petaluma	15 40
Healdsburg	16 80
San Rafael	35 26

DEATH OF DR. J. M. MILLAR.—We take the following from yesterday's Santa Rosa Times: "We are called upon this week to chronicle the death of one of Sonoma County's oldest and most respected citizens. Dr. Joseph Morgan Millar died at the residence of John Walker, near Sebastopol, on the 22d instant, at the age of 61 years. Dr. Millar was born in the State of Virginia. He came to California at an early day, having been a resident of this county about twenty-five years, a large portion of which time he was engaged in the mercantile business with John Walker, at whose house he made his home. He never married and had no relatives living. His will bequeaths his entire estate, amounting to upward of \$100,000, to Mr. Walker and wife. Although a physician, he long since gave up the practice of medicine. The funeral took place last Sunday, and was largely attended, considering the inclement day."

NEW WHOLESALE LIQUOR STORE.—On Monday next Griffin & Co. will open a new wholesale liquor and cigar store in the building formerly occupied by Stewart & Davis, on Main street, opposite the Plaza. The store is newly fitted up in good style, and the firm will place in it a very large stock of liquors and cigars. Griffin & Co. im-

incriminated since the 17th. The delinquent tax list of fifty-five less names this year than Mr. Wm. Crockett has sold Narrow Gauge 3,000 cords of wood, at \$1 per cord.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Four regular meetings of the of Supervisors are held each commencing on the first Monday of February, May, August and November. A large amount of important business will come before the Board at the session which commences on day next. Reports of Road Master, of the Treasurer, and Auditor and other officers, will be received and acted on, and the jurors to serve the year will be drawn. It is that the session will extend to nearly the whole week.

"IT WON'T WEAR SIX MONTHS is made of cheap pot metal," was cry raised by the agents of the priced sewing machines when "New Wilson" made its advance on this coast, four years ago, but the succeeding year shows largely in increasing sales and popularity, and prices, although one-fourth lower than those of the monopolists, have been changed, though many improvements have been added. Go and see them at A. J. Shaw's Dry Goods Main street, Petaluma, or send for circulars and samples to G. A. Nelson 337 Kearny street, San Francisco

WELL DONE.—Last Monday noon a team belonging to T. Sherry, who lives near this city, away from their driver at Whittier warehouse and ran at a rapid rate to the corner of English and Main streets where they were caught by Beards, who at great risk of serious injury clung to the bridle-reins of the horses until he succeeded in stopping the team in front of McGee's drug store. Mr. Edwards de-

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...the season of the year. Grass and grain are well advanced, and there is almost a certainty of an abundant harvest. All the hay, grain and vegetables produced within several miles of Cloverdale always find a ready and remunerative market at that place. Cloverdale is well suited to the production of several varieties of semi-tropical fruit, and it is not improbable that the culture of oranges and lemons will eventually become an industry of considerable importance. Excellent oranges have been raised by Mr. Kier, and at present the ripe fruit may be seen on the trees in his orchard.

IN MEMORIAM.

To the Officers and Members of Sebastopol Grange, No. 45, P. of H.—The undersigned Committee, appointed to draft resolutions expressive of the sorrow of the members of this Grange caused by the death of Brother Sidney Salmon, would respectfully submit the following:

WHEREAS, It has pleased the Supreme Ruler of the Universe in his providence to remove from our midst our Brother Sidney Salmon;

Resolved, That we tender to the friends of our deceased brother our most heartfelt sympathy, and the assurance of our regard for him.

Resolved, That as a token of respect the members of this Grange wear the usual badge of mourning for thirty days.

Resolved, That the Secretary be instructed to furnish a copy of these resolutions to the Petaluma Advertiser and Sonoma Democrat for publication.

JAMES GANNON,
JAMES GREGSON, } Committee.
SEBASTOPOL, February 13, 1875.

SUBJECT:

"POETRY AND ITS USE."

Single Admission 25
Lecture will commence at 8 o'clock.

THE EIGHTH LECTURE

Will be delivered by Governor Booth, on Friday evening, March 5th. Subject, "Charles James Fox."

LIST OF LETTERS

REMAINING IN THE POST OFFICE, February 26, 1875, which, if not called for within thirty days, will be sent to the Dead Letter Office. Please say "advertised," when called for.

LADIES' LIST.

Clark, Martha E	Mayfield, Miss Ella
Fox, Katie	Truth, Miss Dora Z
Harbison, Miss Ella	Wells, Mrs Mary Ann

GENTLEMEN'S LIST.

Ansini, Giovanni	Mason, Charles S
Batler, J	Mowson, Leonard A
Carson, Samuel	McFadden, Reuben
Clack, S H	McMurray, E S
Chaplin, Noble P	O'Connor, Timothy
Fisher, Webb	Pedreal, Mansuet
Gabriele, Signor	Richardson, Dr P Hatch
Harboe, C	Richardson & Jaysen
Hasper, William Z	Smith, Thos A
Keegan, Torrance	Taylor, Andrew
Kirgan, Frank Z	Zane, A J

HELD FOR POSTAGE.

Miss Breen, San Juan, Cal.; Charles Eshorn, Sharon, Washington Territory.

A. MORSE, P. M.

FANCY GOODS! FANCY GOODS! AT P. COWEN'S. Main street, Petaluma.

SCHOOL BOOKS, A FULL VARIETY, AT P. COWEN'S, Main street, Petaluma.

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... (Newfoundland) displays the bodies of over forty who died there this Winter, temporarily interred in the high lies in such quantities as not opening of graves.

resident nominated Godlove S. Minister to Austria, Horace as Minister to Turkey, ex- of Congress C. C. Sheebs, of as Sixth Auditor of the, vice J. J. Martin, appointed ster of Montgomery, Alabama.

INCOLN MINE.—In the hundred- of this mine very promising been discovered. The Secre- company this week received ited States Surveyor-General a plat of the survey made ry to applying for a patent und, which consists of eighty- and is situated eight miles of Healdsburg. The work- ment is to be prosecuted vig-

Pacific Slope News.

ere seven deaths in Sacra- st week—two adults and five

rysville Woolen Mill, which considerable loss and damage ood of the 19th ultimo, is successful operation.

ndred Chinamen, recently on the Southern Pacific in Tehachapi Canyon, are on They want a raise from \$26 month.

ecutive Committee of the hool Union of the M. E. ers a prize of \$50 in money o the person presenting the -page tract on "The Rela- Duties of the Presiding El- the Sunday School Union of Church," at their office in . before July 1st.

WHITE FISH.—B. B. he Fish Commissioners, Woodbury, their Superin- assed through the city on en route for the summit from ith fifteen thousand young t, half of which were to be the North Fork of the

by Governor Pacheco a Notary Public, to reside at Napa City.

Considerable prospecting for quick- silver is being done in the mountains in the western part of Yolo County. Good indications.

Two hundred and twenty-five flasks of quicksilver was the product for the short month February of the St. John's mine, in Solano County.

A. B. Walker, formerly Sheriff of Napa, is going to Chicago shortly, with the intention of opening a com- mission house for the sale of California wines and brandies.

Eugene English, who killed Michael Reedy at Middletown, had an exam- ination before Justice Oliver on Mon- day of last week. The evidence being the same that was given at the inquest, English was discharged, on the ground that the shooting was accidental.

SANTA ROSA AND VICINITY.

These items are from last week's Democrat:

The new wagon road from Clover- dale to Lakeport will be completed by the first of May.

J. H. P. Morris has been appointed Deputy by Constable Berry, of Anady Township.

One hundred men are at work on the Cloverdale and Ukiah Road and an additional force is soon to be put on.

Died Suddenly of Heart Disease.

How common is the announcement. Thousands are suddenly swept into eternity by this fatal mal- ady. This disease generally has its origin in impure blood, filled with irritating, poisonous materials, which, circulating through the heart, irritate its delicate tissues. Though the irritation may at first be only slight, producing a little pal- pitation or irregular action, or dull, heavy, or sharp darting pains, yet by and by the disease becomes firmly seated, and inflammation, or hy- pertrophy, or thickening of the lining membrane or of the valves, is produced. How wise to give early attention to a case of this kind. Unnatural throbbing or pain in the region of the heart should admonish one that all is not right, and if you would preserve it from further disease you must help it to beat rightly by the use of such a remedy as will remove the cause of the trouble. Use Dr. PIERCE'S Golden Medical Discovery before the disease has become too seated, and it will, by its great blood purifying and wonderful regulating properties, effect a perfect cure. It contains me- dicinal properties which act specifically upon the

PETALUMA WOOLEN MILL

Petaluma, Sonoma County

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TH meeting of Directors, held on th of March, 1875, an assessment of T FIVE DOLLARS per share was levied the Capital Stock of the corporation on the **Tenth Day of April**, A. B. DERBY, Treasurer, at the off Secretary. Any stock upon which th ment shall remain unpaid on the ten April will be delinquent.

E. S. LIPPITT, Sec
Office over Bank of Sonoma County, 1
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PETALUMA WOOLEN MILL

THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE luma Woolen Mill Company are i to meet at the office of the Secretary, Bank of Sonoma County, on **March 29, 1875**, at 2 p. m., for the of By-Laws, the election of five Di serve for one year, and for such other as may properly be brought before the **WM. HILL, Pre**

E. S. LIPPITT, Secretary.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL ceived by the undersigned up to **Saturday Evening, March 2** for the **STONWORK** for the found: the **WOODWORK** for the Petaluma Mill, in accordance with the plans and cations, which can be seen at E. S. Id office. Proposals to be made separate Stonework and the Woodwork. The reject any or all bids is reserved.

C. P. HATCHE, Building Com:
Petaluma, March 19, 1875.

New Arrangement! Daily

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PETALUMA AND SAN FRANC

Leave **BAYLIS LANDINO** at 7 A. M. at San Francisco at 10:30.

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owners in fee of the land, and that
their title be forever quieted as against
the defendants. The case will come
up for trial at the next term of the
court.

SANTA ROSA AND VICINITY.

These items are from the local col-
umns of last Saturday's *Democrat*:

The city election in Santa Rosa will
take place to-morrow. The officers to be
elected are five Trustees, a Recorder,
a Clerk, a Treasurer, a Marshal, an
Attorney, an Assessor and a Street
Commissioner.

The new steam laundry of Wakefield
& Frances commenced operations last
week.

The proprietors of the Sebastopol
race course announce a sweepstake race
for colts in Sonoma, Napa, Marin,
Mendocino, Lake and Solano, to come
off in September next; entrance, fifty
dollars.

Thomas O'Grady of Freestone, while
ascending a ladder in his barn a few
days ago missed his footing and fell a
distance of ten feet, breaking three
rounds of the ladder and fracturing
three of his ribs.

A proposition has come from friends
in Illinois to David Clark, of Santa
Rosa, looking to the establishment of a
woolen mill. The parties have neces-
sary machinery on hand, and have had
many years experience in conducting
the business.

Recent explorations near Bunch's
Station on the Healdsburg and Pine
Flat road have proven the existence of
gold and silver bearing quartz as well
as stone coal.

A. F. Hutchinson, formerly of Peta-
luma, where he was connected with
the shipping house of McCune Bros.,
and for the last year or two keeper of
the warehouse of Wise & Goldfish, of
this city, died on Tuesday of this week.
Deceased was about 60 years of age
and a native of New York.

HEALDSBURG ITEMS.

The following items are from the
Flag of yesterday:

After the 10th instant a passenger
can make the trip from Pine Flat to
San Francisco and back in 16 hours at
a cost of \$9.50; while by the Callstoga
route he gives up \$14, and consumes
forty-six hours time.

Resolved, that we consider the prac-
tice of Congress in donating large tracts
of the public domain and immense
sums of money to build up these gigan-
tic corporations as wrong in principle,
a prolific source of corruption, and op-
pressive to the people.

Resolved, that the Secretary furnish
the Petaluma ARGUS and the *Rural*
Press a copy of these resolutions under
the seal of the Grange for publication.

E. H. CHENEY, Sec'y.

BODEGA, March 16, 1874.

The "Housekeeper" of Our Health.

The liver is the great depurating or blood-
cleansing organ of the system. Set the great
housekeeper of our health at work, and the foul
corruptions which gender in the blood and rot out,
as it were, the machinery of life, are gradually
expelled from the system. For this purpose Dr.
PIERCE'S Golden Medical Discovery, with small
daily doses of Dr. PIERCE'S Pleasant Purgative
Pellets, are pre-eminently the articles needed.
They cure every kind of humor from the worst
scrofula to the common pimple, blotch or eruption.
Great eating ulcers kindly heal under their mighty
curative influence. Virulent blood poisons that
lurk in the system are by them robbed of their
terrors, and by their persevering and somewhat
protracted use the most tainted system may be
completely renovated and built up anew. En-
larged glands, tumors and swellings dwindle away
and disappear under the influence of their great
resolvents. Sold by all dealers in medicines.

A Sound Health Maxim.

"Order is heaven's first law." This great
maxim applies with peculiar force to the dis-
charge of the vital functions. Disease inevita-
bly supervenes upon physical irregularity, just
as calamity is sure to follow want of system
and punctuality in the affairs of life. But while
it is next to impossible to overcome settled
mental habits of disorder, it is quite feasible to
remedy habitual irregularities of the body.
Discipline the unruly organs by wise and timely
medication, and health will be established upon
a permanent basis. Although there are many
remedies prescribed for this purpose, there is
not one among them can compare in directness
and promptitude of action with Hostetter's
Stomach Bitters. For every disorder affecting
the bowels, liver and stomach, and for the
numerous sympathetic nervous ailments to
which alimentary or bilious disturbances give
rise, the Bitters are a most reliable specific.
Their wondrous efficacy is attributable to the
fact that they first remove the cause of such
maladies, irregularity, and then by their tonic
operation repair the loss of physical substance
produced by sickness. Constipation, bilious-
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WEEKLY ARGUS.

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SUPPLY.—Through the

LOCAL BREVITIES.

The Sonoma County Medical Society has been dissolved.

It is reported that fine trout are numerous in Sonoma Creek.

The Trustees of our public library will soon get a lot of new books.

Frank Thompson, of the *Democrat*, paid our town a visit on Saturday last.

A regular meeting of the Petaluma Turn Verein will be held next Sunday at 2 P. M.

Governor Pacheco has reappointed John H. Fowler, of Valley Ford, Notary Public.

Owing to its length a communication from Guerneville, on road matters, is crowded out.

We are informed that Joe Morris has established a lumber yard in Sebastopol. Success to him.

A regular semi-monthly meeting of the Board of City Trustees will be held next Monday evening.

The Ladies Aid Society of St. John's Church will give a strawberry festival next Thursday evening, at Derby's Hall.

Bids for bonds of the Healdsburg and Pine Flat road will be received at the County Clerk's office up to noon of Monday, May 3d.

Our friend, Wm. A. Mills, of Virginia City, sent us last week four new milled trade dollars to pay for his *Argus*. We presume by this that he is well and doing well.

The charter election in Healdsburg is to be held on Monday, May 10th. Two Trustees, a Treasurer, a Police Judge, a Marshal and an Assessor and Collector are to be elected.

Jordon Peter has moulded 250,000 bricks at his yard above Sixth street, between F and G. The bricks have been placed in the kiln and the process of burning will be commenced in a few days.

See advertisement for proposals to build a bridge across Green Valley

CALVES.

The Calf Trade in Petaluma—Number and Value of the Animals sent to San Francisco.

Few people even among our own citizens have a correct conception of the quantity of produce and live stock that are shipped from this city to San Francisco. The exact figures for a year if they could be accurately compiled would astonish by their magnitude many who have already formed an estimate as well as those who have given much thought to the subject.

In addition to the shipments of grain, butter, fruit and other products of the soil, live stock in large numbers and many slaughtered animals are shipped daily. The item of calves alone, when considered in the aggregate, assumes large proportions. It is estimated by those who are well posted on the subject, that during five months of the year the average daily shipment of calves is sixty. The animals are purchased from dairymen in the surrounding country by dealers here and by them slaughtered and sent below. Except that the hides are not taken, they are completely dressed and ready for the butcher's stall.

The calves are bought from the dairymen at prices equal to from four to six cents per pound, live weight. The law forbids the selling of veal from a calf that is less than four weeks old, but there is reason to believe that this provision of the statute is not strictly complied with. The live weight of the calves when received from the dairymen is from 70 to 130 pounds. Allowing that the average weight is 90 pounds and the average price is 5 cents per pound, we have \$4.50 the value of the average calf; multiplying this sum by 60, the number shipped to San Francisco daily, we have \$270 and multiplying this last amount by 30 we will have the amount of the calf trade in Petaluma per month for five

ins in the Brick School; pupils, 51; salary same as askins taught two years beginning of this term. Charge of the Sixth Grade; number pupils, 44.

Colby, a new teacher in charge of the Seventh grade, and \$50 salary.

Will this term complete year as teacher in this charge of the Eighth grade is separated into three years; are 56 pupils; salary,

PERSONALITIES.

A family, who removed to Santa Rosa some time ago, have again taken up their abode in this city.

Mr. Martin, late proprietor of the Hotel, is at present sojourning in the Valley, Mendocino County. He contemplates locating here.

Mr. A. Brown, formerly of the 1st Cavalry, and now commander of the 1st Cavalry, has purchased a tract of land in the Klamath, where he will reside.

Democratic candidate for Mayor, gave us a call yesterday. He said that the bad weather don't make the fight will not be in the end "wrestling."

Will be delivered at the Church, Bloomfield, Aug. 1st. Rev. O. P. Fitzgerald, of the Church. Subject, "Young People."

A party from this city, who went on a visit to his former home, McHenry County, last week accompanied by J. A. Vail, and his

The report that Geiger, the escaped murderer, has recently been seen in the vicinity of the Hot Springs, on the south fork of Big River, Mendocino County, is discredited by the Ukiah Democrat.

Bodies of verde antique marble, a very rare and valuable quality, have been discovered two miles and a half west of Cloverdale, on J. A. Carrie's place. The work of development is going on.

The name of the man whose serious injury at Murphy's Mill by being crushed between two logs was mentioned in last week's ARCADE, was Geo. Morglan. He died at the County Hospital last Friday.

H. G. Carrillo, of Sebastopol, was arrested a few days ago and held to bail in the sum of \$2,000 for shooting at his father, Joaquin Carrillo. The cause of the shooting was a long standing family quarrel.

Assessor Rodgers will complete the city assessment within this week, and on Monday file the same with the City Clerk. The Board of Trustees will meet as a Board of Equalization one week from next Monday.

George Harris, of this city, who is the originator of several important and useful inventions, is at present operating his new fruit dryer at the corner of Main and C streets. He is drying figs from L. Waugh's orchard.

A party of four from this city caught 212 trout in Lagunitas and Carson creeks one day last week. Hare and quail are very abundant in that vicinity, and many persons from San Francisco are camped there.

The Democrat says the bark of a redwood tree found in Dutcher's logging camp will be sent in sections to the Centennial exhibition at Philadelphia. It measures forty-eight feet in circum-

August.

An experienced male teacher at good wages. Apply at once immediately.

J. N. Lafferty, a former teacher in Vallejo Township, is teaching school in Navarro District, Contra Costa County.

W. R. Davis, of Santa Rosa, graduate of the State University, Principal of Washington County Normal School,ameda County.

The Board of Education intend to take immediate measures for the full enforcement of the Education law.

J. H. Fishburn, a teacher in this city and county for several years, is hopelessly ill of consumption and resides in Hollister, Monterey County.

An election is to be held in the Lake District, Lake County, on the 14th, to decide on the question of levying \$700 by special tax to build a school house.

There are in the Brick School 364 pupils; average number to each teacher, 45½; monthly salaries, \$515; per cent each teacher, \$64 38.

The amount of cash in the Treasury to the credit of the fund, including \$100 donated by Hook and Ladder Company, purchase of apparatus for the fire department is \$2,279 53.

Superintendent McMeans, who has been visiting the public schools of the county, gave us a call yesterday. He is well pleased with the progress of the schools, which most of the schools are conducted.

The Board of Education estimate that the amount of funds for the school department of the county for the year commencing 1875, will be \$13,570, of which \$10,000 must be raised by city tax.

OF CITY TRUSTEES.

Meeting of the Board of Trustees was held at the City Hall Monday night, at which Trustees Tisham, Tighe, Lynch and others were present. J. C. Wicker was chosen Chairman pro tem. Motion of citizens asking the contract for again lighting with gas at night came up. A petition & protest of citizens, and on motion said petition was definitely postponed.

On of the Washington Hall and others, to sewer, grade and macadamize the alley between Keller, English and Ken. This was read; and on motion resolution was passed: That it is the intention of the Trustees to do the following work: To sewer, grade and said alley connecting the English-street sewer; and the Washington-street on the west side of the alley to the city and Keokuk streets to the east side line of the alley across Washington street.

At the meeting of the Board of Education, the amount of money for the coming year, was recommended filed.

It was ordered that the street work be done: To the west side of Washington street to the bridge; also to macadamize the easterly side of the street from Hopper to to macadamize six feet on each side of the city's Washington street extending to the city limits. The following bill were presented, and ordered paid:

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OUR SOLID MEN.

Following is a list of the individuals, firms and corporations in five townships of this county who are this year assessed at \$10,000 or upwards:

ANALY TOWNSHIP.

John A. Brown	\$13,453	W. P. Hall	\$11,065
Aaron Barnes	32,920	Henry Hall	61,775
Owen Barnes	11,043	Lemon Jodson	10,365
Caleb Bartlett	22,330	Wm. Jones	20,824
Mrs. G. Carrillo		D. Lowe & Bro	11,299
est. by H. G.		A. Linebaugh	37,456
Carrillo	26,325	Jno. McReynolds	11,128
Patrick Carroll	19,451	Jacob McReynolds	10,025
Levi Davis	12,531	olds' estate	10,326
James Deaney	18,345	L. W. Miller	17,126
Warren Dalton	10,303	John Mills	15,406
W. S. Edminster	15,492	Jacob McReynolds	15,479
Robert Gordon	10,142	olds' estate	10,414
H. P. Gaven	27,050	R. Phinney	
Jas. M. Hadspeeth	22,054	Jos. Furrington	
W. P. Hinshaw	71,448		

BODEGA TOWNSHIP.

James Coleman	\$16,788	Hibernia Bank	
P. Campbell	19,080	(W. O'Farrell)	
James Clark	16,858	agent)	\$27,000
Wm. Fitzgerald	10,180	McRea (I. H.)	
A. Fitzpatrick	17,792	Fowler, ag't	11,684
John Finley	11,920	J. K. Smith	15,421
T. L. Fowler, est.	12,900	Despard, Taylor	12,662
S. H. Green (J. L.)		A. J. Van Winkle	14,540
Springer, ag't	24,000	C. Worrickley	12,480
Hollis Hitchcock	59,120	James Watson	32,511
E. H. Kowalsky	14,335		

SANTA ROSA TOWNSHIP.

John Adams	12,473	H. Klute	20,014
J. B. Armstrong	18,339	Korbel Bros	46,185
J. Austin	24,899	P. Liddy	24,638
R. H. Brittain	11,049	John Morrison	11,342
A. S. Benton	13,214	J. P. Maddux	19,418
Mrs. M. Barnes	10,100	Wm. Manion	12,641
J. F. Boyce	22,496	J. J. McClelland	12,929
Mrs. M. Brayton	15,700	H. C. Mizer	19,914
D. Chamberlain	13,418	John McIlmoll	18,300
D. Clark	11,907	R. D. Morgan	10,519
S. G. Clark	11,850	John McMin	19,346
L. S. Cooper	13,992	J. McReynolds	19,358
S. T. Coulter	10,708	A. Neece & West	25,000
R. Crane	13,853	Odd Fellows Hall	10,650
J. B. Cook	10,720	A. P. Overton	19,300
R. H. Crane	15,473	H. G. Parks	11,995
J. F. Cook	13,880	P. M. College	10,000
J. P. Clark	19,792	T. T. Paull	12,510
T. Dreppan	15,592	James Peugh	36,644
J. E. Davidson	14,443	U. P. Quackenbush	11,930
G. W. Davis	25,627	W. H. Rogers	13,527
Josias Davis	15,241	Riley, Hardin & Farmer	12,300
Wm. Ducker	16,504	J. Ridgway, Sr.	61,520
I. De Turk	25,061	A. Runyon	73,018
J. Foster	14,880	W. R. Roberts	29,564
R. Fulkerson	24,912	John Richards	10,447
W. H. and J. A. Farmer	13,891	T. Scott & D. I.	
James Fulton	23,958	H. by T. Scott	12,520
A. Fine	13,501	L. W. Smallwood	18,559
R. Ferguson	20,128	Mrs. M. C. Spence	17,100
B. T. Farmer	29,675	cer.	
Lorenzo Genelle	10,975	Santa Rosa Water Works	20,505
J. H. Griggs	13,281	Stanley, Seblett & Co	14,500
D. Gibbs, estate	18,157		
Berthold Hoen	10,693		
H. P. Holmes	30,221		

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

[REPORTED SPECIALLY FOR THE ARGENT

The following are the real estate transactions for the week ending July 29, 1875:

D. S. Dickson and H. Stacy to W. L. O. McK. Hunter, part of lot 124, Petaluma, W. L. Hunter to O. McK. Hunter, lot 20 part of 124, Petaluma, \$600.

John Morris to Wilbur F. Harris, 10 Guerneville, \$450.

G. W. Quincy to C. W. Frost, 80 acres Township 7, \$1,000.

M. D. Carr to the Annie Belcher Quicks Mining Co., the Monitor claim, \$1.

E. Lataple, Sheriff, to G. T. Paull, 160 in Township 7, \$700.

Peter Holter to A. G. Leigh, 40 acres in bato Rancho, \$2,250.

J. F. Boyce and wife to Mary Hayward 13 and 14, block 12, Clark's Addition, Rosa, \$700.

A. Shane to Mary Hayward, lot 200x60 between Second and Third streets, Santa \$900.

United States to R. Ray, 80 acres in 2 ship 6.

Jacob Wheeler and wife to J. S. Free 34 lots in block 1, Wheeler's Addition, Rosa, \$3,000.

T. Hewitt to Fanny C. Dickson, lot 10 in T. Hewitt's Addition, Santa Rosa, \$150.

W. N. Cunningham to C. W. Ish, lot 10 Sonoma, \$100.

A. Childers to J. W. Carter, lot 60x200 between Second and Third streets, C Addition, Santa Rosa, \$2,500.

Mary Hayward to S. S. Nowlin, lots 13 and 14, block 12, Clark's Addition, Santa \$675.

George Hood to L. W. Boggs, lots 8 and 9 Hood's Addition, Santa Rosa, \$400.

COURT PROCEEDINGS.

[REPORTED SPECIALLY FOR THE ARGENT

Probate Court—A. P. Overton, Judge.

Estate of G. Carrillo, deceased—Order show cause why annual account should be made.

Estate of John Diedrich, deceased—Order dismissed.

Estate of C. P. McPherson, deceased—setting apart property and family allowance.

Estate of N. K. Ackerman, deceased—order show cause why letters should not be 1-

THE MARKETS.

SAN FRANCISCO PRODUCE MARKET

SAN FRANCISCO, July 29, 1875

FLOUR—Extra, \$6 75 @ 7; super \$5 50 @ 5 75, in sds, @ 196 lbs.

WHEAT—Ranges at \$1 00 @ 2 12 1/2 @ 10

BARLEY—Quotable at \$1 32 1/2 @ 1 67 1/2

OATS—Quotable at \$1 80 @ 2.

HAY—Ranges at \$11 @ 18 @ ton.

STRAW—Quotable at 60 @ 5c @ bale.

CORN—Quotable at \$1 45 @ 1 47 1/2 @ 100

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invitation to the 'Teachers' Institute
ball, to come off at Ridgway Hall,
Santa Rosa, next Friday evening.

Will not somebody who can com-
mand the requisite capital, come for-
ward and at least partially supply the
demand for tenement houses in our
city?

N. O. Stafford, formerly and for
many years a resident of Petaluma,
and now of Los Angeles County, is in
town and will remain here until after
the Fair.

W. A. Mills, whose serious illness at
Virginia City we mentioned last week,
is, we are glad to say, in a fair way to
recover.

A. Neece, one of the proprietors of
the Grand Hotel, of Santa Rosa, was
in town one day this week. He reports
Santa Rosa in general, and the Grand
Hotel in particular, as flourishing.

D. P. Powers has started an oppo-
sition line of stages between Santa
Rosa, Sebastopol, Freestone and Bode-
ga. The old line has put down the
fare to 25 cents.

A very pleasant social party, at
which several of our citizens were
present, took place at the residence of
J. J. Sutherland, in Vallejo Township,
last Friday evening.

On and after to-morrow the down
freight train on the San Francisco and
North Pacific Railroad will take pas-
sengers for San Francisco on Saturday
afternoon.

Harris' patent fruit-dryer is in suc-
cessful operation at the corner of Third
and C streets. It does its work quickly
and well.

The San Rafael Herald says that
since the 15th instant, George Allen
and partner, of that place, have killed
seventy-four deer in Marin County.

The camp meeting of the Seventh
Day Adventists commenced at Fairfax,

furnish a never failing market for all
the manufactures, of the kind to which
we refer, that could be turned out in
an establishment of great magnitude.
California annually sends East hun-
dreds of thousands if not millions of
dollars for articles in this line that
might be made here. Our modes of
putting in and harvesting crops are in
many respects different from those pur-
sued at the East; our soil and climate
are also different, and as a consequence
a different class of implements is re-
quired. And within the State there are
localities in which the soil, climate,
etc., differ greatly and require for the
successful prosecution of farming indus-
try implements of different patterns.
These facts present strong inducements
for the establishment of manufactories
of this kind in various parts of the
State, and Petaluma is a point, which
from its peculiar surroundings, has
great advantages as a manufactur-
ing center in this particular line. All
the plows, harrows, wagons, harness,
reapers, mowers, cultivators, threshing
machines, horse-powers, hoes, forks
and various other tools and implements
that are used in Sonoma, Marin, Men-
dochino and Lake counties ought to be
made in Petaluma. There are hun-
dreds of skilled workmen in the State
whose services could be obtained on
short notice, and all that is required to
make this kind of an enterprise a great
success is a man, company or corpora-
tion, with the requisite energy and cap-
ital to take hold of it. The city would
reap great benefit from it, the farmers
would be profited and would lend it their
patronage and encouragement, it would
be profitable to the projectors and in
every view the enterprise, to our mind,
presents a favorable aspect.

THE NORTHWEST CORNER.

THE WEEKLY ARGUS.

ALUMA. - - - - OCT. 15, 1875

LOCAL BREVITIES.

We are informed that the new bank at Petaluma is doing a good business. The District Court will meet next day.

There will be a social party and dance at the Washoe House to-night.

E. B. B. Allen, of Sebastopol, has been appointed as Notary Public.

Vote for Ezra S. Carr for Superintendent of Public Instruction—election Wednesday.

Read the notice to tax-payers by J. H. Knowles. It will be found among our new advertisements.

Thursday last the corner-stone of the new Masonic Hall, at Healdsburg, was laid with imposing ceremonies.

The Badger Company played at a Ross on Monday and Tuesday nights to good houses.

Engine Company No. 3 was out on duty last night, and performed well. The engine is in first rate order.

The rate of taxation for city purposes in Healdsburg is 50 cents on each dollar, which will raise a fund of about \$200.

Mr. George Griggs has extended our thanks for a copy of the Dundee, (Scottish) Advertiser of September 10th, containing matters of peculiar interest.

Mr. K. Zook, who has been Assistant Engineer since the commencement of the survey of the Sonoma and Marin Railroad, is now Superintendent of the work.

An assessment of \$5 per share on the stock of the Sonoma and Ma-

SONOMA & MARIN RAILROAD.

The contract for building the tunnel on the line of the Sonoma and Marin Railroad near San Rafael, which was let to L. A. Dougherty some months ago and abandoned by him after considerable work had been done, was re-let a few days since to J. B. Hinkle and M. W. Connolly, of this city, and work will be resumed on Monday next. The new contractors are men of energy, possessed of abundant means and all needed facilities for the successful prosecution of the work, and it may safely be predicted that they will not throw up their contract, or fail to do all that they have agreed to perform. A large force will immediately be set to work to finish the approaches at each end of the tunnel, in order that operations may be carried on to advantage in the rainy season, and unless some unexpected obstacle presents itself, the tunnel will be completed early in the Spring.

The grading along the marsh progresses satisfactorily, and this part of the work will be completed in about three weeks. There will then be left less than seven miles of grading, which it is the intention of the company to have done during the Winter months. Negotiations are in progress for the purchase of the necessary iron at the East, and if nothing miscarries in this connection, the iron will be here soon after the road bed is ready for it.

The completion of this road will bring Petaluma within one hour and three-quarters of San Francisco, and will certainly have a very advantageous effect on this city and the country intervening between here and its south-

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The San Francisco Railroad is no larger business than previous year. The new wagon roads leading into Mendocino has largely increased some time past and loads of grain perished southward from the road. There are shipments of wool, hogs are brought from Verdale.

Five hundred men employed in the construction and Guerneville miles of track have been completed. To-day four road bed will be made the rails will be making 6½ miles road, which is one-third of the length. The bridge across the river will be 200, and the old bridge 128 feet. The former will be 45 feet high. For the crossing 375 feet of pine will be used in the work building the bridge across the river, and the work is pushed forward. The intention is to complete the road by the heavy rains set in. It is probable that within a few miles from Guerneville, in the direction of Eastern mine will be reached. Although the cost